

Michigan's other bridge walk set for Saturday

On Saturday, October 17, at 11 a.m., the tiny community of Lovells, situated on the North Branch of the AuSable River, some 20 miles northeast of Grayling, will host its own version of the famous Mackinac Bridge Walk.

The first annual "Lovells Bridge Walk," designed to benefit the Lovells Medical First Responders, a trained and certified team of emergency accident/disaster aid givers, will originate at the Riverside Tavern parking lot and proceed across the Lovells Bridge to the Township Hall.

Tom Force, a local organizer, points out that, "the total distance is much shorter than the Mackinac Bridge, as the Lovells Bridge only spans about 50 feet. Force maintains that, "This is an excellent beginning and we clearly

must work with what we have until the AuSable widens out."

Bridge walkers will be greeted at the Township Hall by live entertainment, a display of the equipment used by the Lovells Volunteer Firefighters and a Potluck Lunch. Commemorative sweatshirts and other souvenirs of this major annual event will be on sale, with the proceeds going to equip the First Responders.

Mr. and Mrs. John Engler and the Bush family have been invited to participate, along with the general public, area firefighters and EMT personnel. "This Bridge Walk is absolutely free and no reservations are needed. We do, however, ask that you bring a dish to pass if you're staying for lunch," said Force.

Candidates face off at Rotary debate

By Lori Swarthout

Differences in reforming Michigan's current school system became evident as candidates for state representative Allen Lowe and Tom Weiss debated at the regular Rotary Club luncheon Wednesday, October 7.

Two of the five questions put to the candidates at the luncheon involved potential reforms to Michigan's public education system. Lowe indicated that "this is one of the issues I hear the most on as I travel around northern Michigan."

Lowe went on to detail his position, mentioning his background as a teacher, stating his belief in choice in education, and his concerns for a school system monopolized by the state. Lowe said, "if we're going to have a statewide school system, we need a statewide method of funding schools."

Weiss indicated his support for various voucher proposals being discussed in Lansing, saying, "public vouchers and choice go together."

Weiss stated that he was opposed to the current cut and cap proposal, because it does not address school funding. Weiss feels that a 1% sales tax increase would go a long way towards helping the state meet its fiscal responsibilities in the education arena.

Other issues addressed by the candidates included public ownership of land in Crawford County. Weiss said townships and counties like Crawford should be reimbursed out of the D.N.R.

Both candidates indicated their concern with the current economy, stressing the need to reduce the cost of doing business in Michigan, including reform of workman's compensation and other related issues.

In their concluding remarks, both candidates stressed their backgrounds. Lowe as a teacher and an attorney, Weiss as a Viet Nam veteran and businessman. The public took advantage of the candidates' invitation to linger after the debate to meet the candidates and discuss their concerns with them.

Commissioners look to hold costs as fiscal year nears the end

By Lori Swarthout

Commissioners debated changing their expense schedules in an effort to hold the line on costs and stay on budget at their last regular meeting, October 7.

After reporting on new Department of Social Services (D.S.S.) rules requiring all welfare recipients to volunteer their services or work part time, Commissioner Loren Goodale indicated that the county budget was getting tight as the fiscal year wound down.

In order to hold the line on costs Goodale motioned that commissioners traveling out of the county to meetings be given a choice of being paid \$22.00 a meeting plus mileage or \$32.00 per meeting and no mileage. Currently commissioners traveling out of the county to meetings receive \$32.00 plus mileage. The motion was supported by commissioner Bob McLachlan.

Commissioner Joe Callewaert, who attends out-of-county meetings of the North East Michigan Consortium and the Northern Michigan Association of Counties on behalf of the county, protested, saying, "this is vengeful, small town politics. I'm the commissioner who travels to Lansing, to Alpena, to Onaway, for very important committee meetings."

Commissioner Dennis Long responded to Callewaert's remarks saying, "You're not the only one making sacrifices for this county, Joe. ...I have the facts and figures to support this." The motion passed on a roll call vote, with commissioners Bob Smock and Callewaert opposing the motion.

In other action, McLachlan made a motion to request the state attorney general to provide a legal opinion regarding Callewaert's voting on issues pertaining to his wife's position as county magistrate. At the time the

votes were taken, Callewaert had asked to abstain from voting on the issues and was not permitted to do so as he had not previously filed a conflict of interest disclosure. In the discussion which followed, Long indicated that he felt it would be a good idea to get a legal opinion on the issue to clear up this gray area for future reference. The roll call vote narrowly passed, with Smock, Callewaert, and Riley opposing the motion.

NEW PUBLIC SAFETY POSITION DENIED

The Personnel and Labor committee has been directed to notify the Police Officer's Association of Michigan (P.O.A.M.) that a half-time Animal Control Officer/half-time Road Patrol Officer will not happen in the near future.

This position had been discussed with Sheriff Harold Hatfield after his request for a waiver of the county

hiring freeze was denied at the September 9 meeting. The Sheriff department is currently short two deputies and an animal control officer. The sheriff's request for additional office help has also been denied.

Goodale asked the Sheriff if it would be possible for him to cut back overtime. The Sheriff indicated that all men available were working road patrol, including Detective Jim Parker and Undersheriff Tom Coors.

Smock's motion to purchase new radios for the jail out of commissary funds was supported by Callewaert and passed the vote.

McLachlan's motion to have the Ways and Means committee seek funding for a person to do a dog census was passed. This was indicated as a start in obtaining revenue for an animal control officer. The census would provide an accurate count of dogs liable for licensing, and the revenue from new licenses could help fund an animal control officer.

BUILDING AND ZONING

Commissioners voted to resubmit their request for a public hearing to focus on cross section and square footage restrictions to building and zoning. Representatives of the housing commission added their concern to that of the commissioners that the current hearing scheduled by building and zoning was not focused enough in content.

OTHER ACTION

In other action, commissioners received the resignation of Phyllis Brummer from the Commission on Aging's Board of Directors. In her letter, Brummer indicated that she was unable to work with the current board. Her resignation follows that of Commission on Aging Director Irene Pettyjohn. The board also voted to send a letter of thanks and acceptance to Mike Lapka for his Viet Nam Memorial display in the county building.



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AuSable River Canoe Marathon gaining international attention

By Don Geiss

The annual Grayling to Oscoda canoe marathon touts itself as being an international affair and it has a better claim to that title now after being highly publicized in a British magazine.

The glossy magazine called "Canoeist" in its October edition carried a photograph on the cover of Serge Corbin and Brett Stockton winning this year's race along with a banner headline announcing it as the world's richest race. Included across the top of the cover was an announcement of a contest to win a trip to the 1993 event.

The story in itself is unique because it contains what can be considered some typically British descriptive language. The written view of the overall festival might be a case in point as stated from another country's viewpoint. The article stated, "All day and longer they have been pouring into town from all over the USA, as far away as Florida and California, and from Canada. They have been received with open arms, a city of craft tents, a historical car display, a street jazz band and AuSable River Days carnival procession including not only many of the local businesses but also floats with candidates standing in the following week's local elections, the local senator going one better with an aircraft towing a banner welcoming

the visitors."

There is a similar race in Great Britain. The story points out that "the AuSable Marathon has some remarkable similarities to the Devizes to Westminster Race. It is of similar age, it is overnight (times are now sufficiently fast for it to be run as a daylight race, but temperatures are normally much higher than this year's pleasantly warm condition) and it is almost the same length (193 km) although it takes less time because of the faster current." It goes on to describe in a three page story the race background, some details on the individual entrants and an overview of the other legs of the triple crown.

The contest to win a trip to the AuSable race is based on the Devizes affair. The two winning crew members will receive a round-trip flight by Northwest Airlines from London to Detroit at least one week before the race. The Grayling Area Visitors Council will provide ground transportation from Detroit and all necessary ground transport during the stay in Michigan, accommodations during the stay in Michigan, a support crew to provide orientation on the river prior to the race and supplies during the race, and selection of high quality canoes for training and use in the race. The offer is also open to amateurs who might win the British race, by not accepting prize money or

donating it to a charity.

A bonus to tourism in Crawford County is complete information in the publication about how other interested canoeists could make airline reservations to participate in the AuSable race.

Rounding out the excellent article about the festival, race and crowd

excitement are many full color photographs of the affair and its participants. Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce Director Debbie Allen said, "The story is a tribute to the hard work over the years of the organizers of the race and the gameness and stamina of the participants."



BRITISH HEROES—Serge Corbin (r) and Brett Stockton were front cover features in the October issue of the British magazine "Canoeist." A four page color story in the publication described the annual AuSable River Marathon in typically English style and offered a contest featuring a trip to the USA to race here.

Disabled workers show their value at jobs

By Jon Thompson

Some people may think Alice Malkin, of Grayling, got a late start at entering the working world. She was 39 years old before she started her first job at the Grayling Kmart store in May of 1991.

But Alice's venture into the work place has involved a longer journey than many people experience. She had to deal with a physical impairment—a vision disease left her legally blind without her eyeglasses. Alice also had to overcome a mistaken diagnosis. When Alice was a child growing up in Roscommon she was erroneously labeled by the mental health department as retarded.

After finishing the 7th grade at Roscommon, she spent 22 months in the state hospital at Traverse City.

"It was a crime as far as I am concerned," said Lenore Landon, of the Michigan Rehabilitation Services for Crawford and Roscommon. "She is definitely not retarded. In fact, she has above average intelligence."

Alice was referred to the Michigan Rehabilitation Services in 1991 and Landon helped encourage her to apply for a job in the garden shop at Kmart.

"The wrong diagnosis had affected her self-esteem and she needed a little more self-confidence," said Landon. Michigan Rehabilitation Services also arranged for a coach for Alice to help with the job training. Arlene Williams, from the R.O.O.C. workshop, went through the training pro-

gram at Kmart with Alice and helped coach her for the first six months of the job. She said Alice needed less help than other persons needing coaches.

The employer doesn't pay any extra for the training coach and the employee is expected to perform up to the standards for all employees.

Kmart enlarged some of the training material into big print to help Alice with her vision difficulties. Alice worked in the garden during the summer of 1991 and when it closed, Kmart liked her work so much, they moved her to the position of greeter at the front doors. Because of her difficulty in reading small print, Alice memorizes all the items on sale each day.

"Alice is really conscientious at the job," said Paul Lokai, Kmart general manager. "She's only missed one day of work in a year and a half and she cares about doing the job right the first time. I wish we had a lot more employees like her. When Alice says 'welcome to Kmart' to customers, she really means it. Lots of our regular customers like to come in to say hello to Alice."

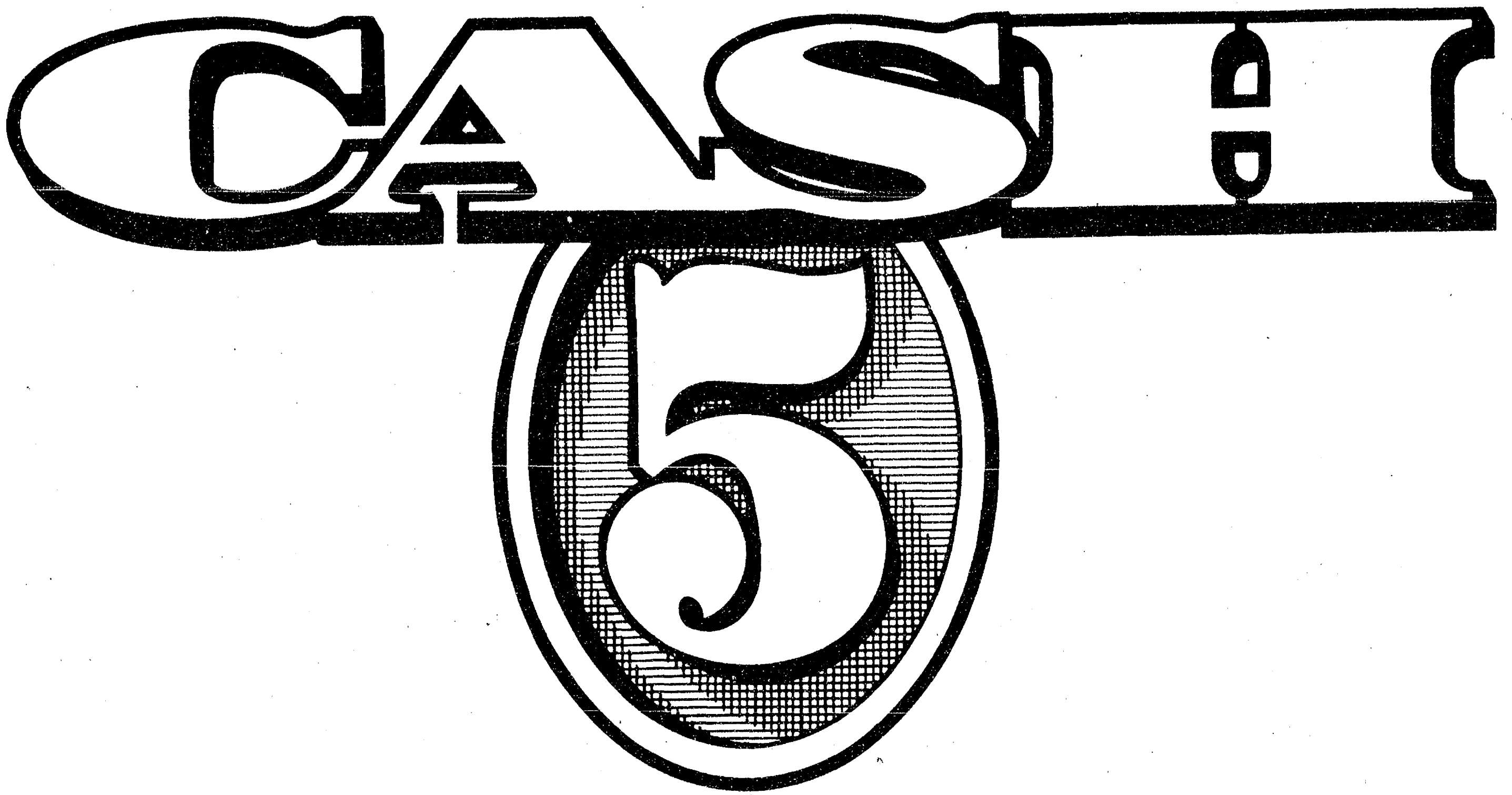
Alice switches back to the garden shop during the summer and she enjoys both jobs.

"I like to water the flowers and take care of the plants," said Alice, "but I love to see the faces of the little ones as they come in the door. I look for smiles from them. Sometimes they say the darnest things."

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GOVERNOR BACKS LOWE—Michigan governor John Engler visited Marsh Ridge Resort, south of Gaylord, October 7 to campaign for Allen Lowe, candidate for State Representative in the 105th District (left). Lowe, a resident of Grayling, is the Republican nominee in the November election facing Gaylord Democrat Tom Weiss.



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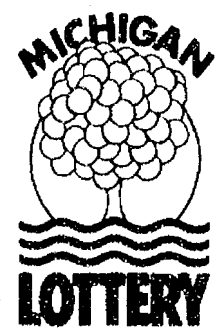
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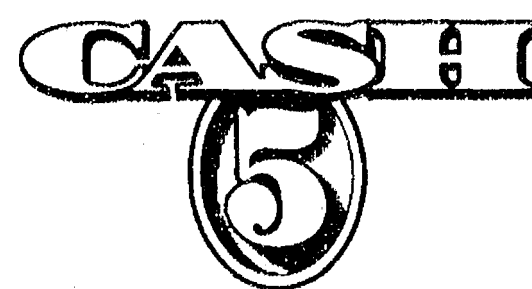
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Three people injured in Frederic accident

By Lori Swarthout

Three people were hospitalized when a vehicle southbound on Old 27 struck the rear of another vehicle turning into a drive off Old 27 south of Batterson Road in Frederic Township.

Emergency units were dispatched to the scene around 6:54 p.m. Friday, October 8. At the scene they found 19-year-old Jody Lobsinger, her passenger, a boy three years old, the driver of the other vehicle, 25-year-old Sandra Allison of Frederic, and Allison's passenger, 24-year-old Telaina Sanderson.

The car driven by Lobsinger

apparently struck the rear of Allison's vehicle as Allison was turning into a driveway, according to police. Lobsinger and Sanderson were taken to Grayling Mercy Hospital, Lobsinger's passenger, the little boy, was also taken to Grayling Mercy, and later transferred to Munson Medical Center for treatment of head injuries and facial lacerations.

North Flight E.M.S. as well as Frederic Township fire and ambulance assisted Crawford County deputies at the scene. The sheriff department is still investigating the accident at this time.

Local runaways take stolen vehicle to Illinois

By Lori Swarthout

Four local youths and one stolen vehicle were found in Bloomington, Illinois, last week.

Four Grayling boys, ages 14 to 16, apparently decided to steal a car and runaway together sometime in the early hours of Friday, October 9. Crawford County deputies received a call reporting a runaway juvenile just

before midnight October 8. About the same time the city of Grayling received a stolen car complaint.

All four boys and the car were found later in Bloomington, Illinois. The boys may also be responsible for another stolen car that was recovered in Crawford County. The case is still being investigated by local authorities.

Local Weather

Courtesy of the City of Grayling

Date	High	Low	Rain
10/7	67	31	
10/8	67	27	
10/9	67	37	0.85
10/10	49	38	0.35
10/11	53	42	0.05
10/12	51	45	0.02
10/13	52	42	0.05

Extended forecast courtesy of the U.S. Weather Service in Houghton Lake: Wednesday will be cloudy with a 60% chance of rain in the morning and becoming partly cloudy in the afternoon. The high will be in the 50s. There is a chance of rain for Thursday, rain likely on Friday, and it will be colder with rain and snowshowers on Saturday. The high for all three days will be in the 40s and the low will be in the 30s.

Surplus Food To Be Distributed October 20 at Eagles Club

Surplus food will be distributed Tuesday, October 20, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Eagles Club, M-72 East.

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Bear Lake Bazaar planned

The Bear Lake Christian Church will host a bazaar 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, October 17, at the Bear Lake Community Hall at M-72 and East Bear Lake Road. Handmade crafts and baked goods will be on sale.

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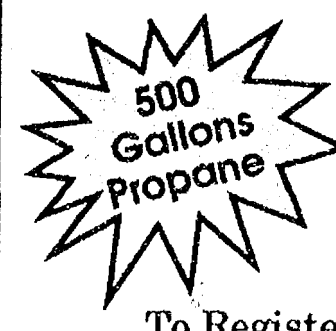
State leaders campaigning for Lowe

Doug Roberts, state treasurer, Pat Novak, head of the Michigan Department of Transportation and Art Ellis, director of the Michigan Department of Corrections, were all expected in the area this week to campaign for Allen Lowe, Republican candidate for the 105th State Representative district.

Roberts was scheduled to be in Grayling Township Tuesday, October 13, and Novak was slated to be in Gaylord with Lowe on Wednesday, October 14. Ellis was tentatively scheduled for a business lunch in the Grayling area, Friday, October 16. For information on meeting with Ellis, call the Lowe campaign office, 348-6197.

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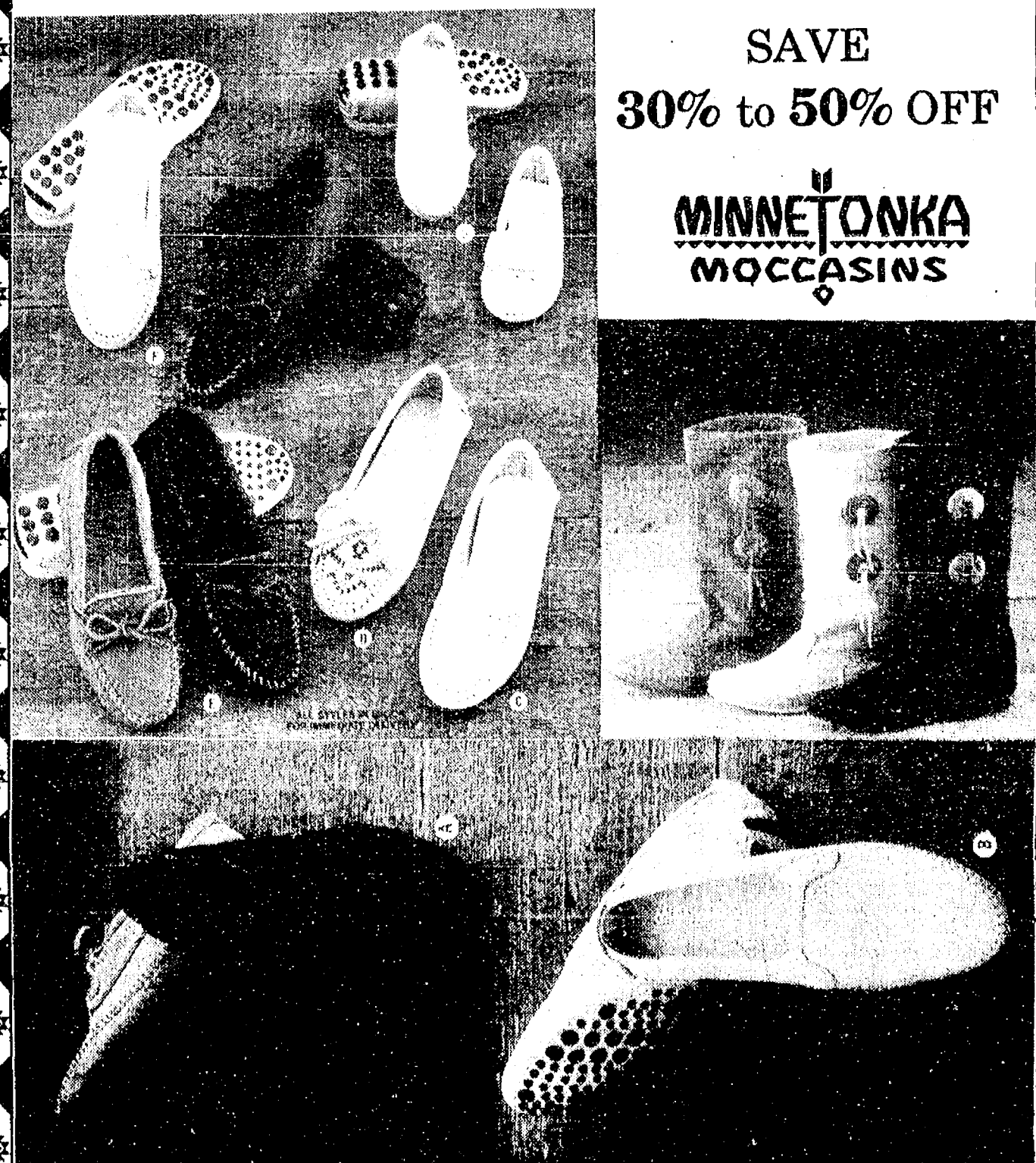
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Letters To The Editor

Quit blaming local school board and quit punishing my children

This letter is in response to the 10-4-92 editorial letter written by Brad Jarmin and to all others who truly believe they have all the facts regarding the Crawford AuSable School system, but in reality are misinformed.

The Vision 2000 plan was not promoted to "aspire to create a better environment" for our children. Mr. Jarmin and others may not have had the time or desire to read information beyond the number of mills and the total amount of the Bond Issue. Our school system is desperately overcrowded at the Elementary School level. Fifth grade is part of elementary school. It does not now nor ever has belonged in the middle school, but is there because we cannot fit one more body at either the Grayling Elementary or Frederic Elementary.

This overcrowding has a spillover affect at the high school. My older daughter, currently in ninth grade, attends her Algebra class amidst the stoves of the Home Economics room. This room has no blackboard on the wall making it difficult for the instructor as he must squeeze rather lengthy algebraic equations into the small rectangular space on an overhead projector. (And yes, I realize things could be worse!)

My other daughter is in Fifth Grade. The children within her grade level have been overcrowded since kindergarten, which was the first time

they were split, with many of them transferred to Frederic from Grayling Elementary as early as age five. There can be no continuity of socialization as the children never know if next year their best friend will be attending a different school. This year sixty fifth graders are at the high school. This isn't being done to fool taxpayers. It is being done out of strict necessity.

This same fifth grade class will be entering high school (this time appropriately) in the Fall of 1996. I, as a parent, am extremely concerned. This is precisely the time the high school overcrowding will be reaching crisis proportions. There will be over 700 students in grades 9-12, the school will accommodate 630. The elementaries and middle school will already be above capacity. What will happen to my child and all the others? They will undoubtedly receive an education, but of what quality? It is impossible in this day and age to go back to the one room school concept, particularly in high school when things like Journalism, Language, and Computer Labs, Drafting and Engineering, Band Rooms, etc. are needed for quality instructional use.

It is my great fear that this community must see lines of portables at the elementary schools and at the high school before they will believe that this is not a fictitious situation. Unfortunately it is the students who

suffer from this lack of belief and two of these students are mine.

Mr. Jarmin, what would you suggest I and other parents do who believe that our child's educational opportunities will be jeopardized due to people such as yourself who have not taken the time to look at the real facts and figures and continue to disseminate erroneous and deceptive information? Should I uproot my child and family and move? Should I resign myself to the fact that programs and specific classes may have to be cut due to lack of space and my child will not even be able to apply to certain colleges for lack of requirements? The competition for college admittance is tough enough these days without throwing further obstacles in students' paths.

Or Mr. Jarmin, should I continue my efforts along with dozens of other VOLUNTEERS — parents, business leaders, ministers, school board members, senior citizens, and others (all of whom, Mr. Jarmin, make up the "public relations experts" you mistakenly refer to) and try to continue to educate the community to the needs of our children, try to get more people

involved, and try to solve the problems of overcrowding and needed educational programs within our school system to "effectively... improve education..." as you suggest?

None of us are pleased with Michigan's inequitable approach to school finance. This does not mean we wish to emulate the educational crisis in your home state brought about in part by California's most recent reform in school financing. Quit blaming the local school board, and quit punishing my children because of your misperceptions and displaced anger.

Mr. Jarmin, you are positive enough about Grayling to travel thousands of miles annually to reside here for only a short period of time. Be positive enough to obtain the correct information and help us find a VIABLE solution to the existing and continuing problems within the Crawford AuSable School District and "dispel the... consensus..." that you "... have only self interest at heart."

Sincerely
Sandra Shellfish
Grayling Township



GPA looking for stolen fall decorations

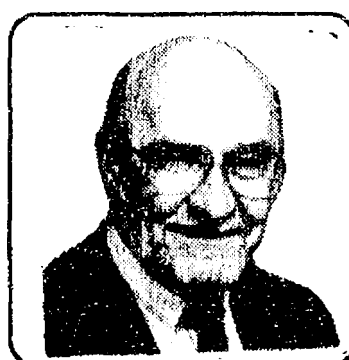
Ten days ago GPA put up fall decorations in Grayling. One of the displays was at the "Welcome" sign on Michigan Avenue and North Down River Road. Sad to say — this display is no more. The two gentlemen and the pumpkins are gone.

When last seen they were happily

welcoming people to Grayling. They were dressed in blue jeans and outdoor clothing. They were happy. Now — we wonder where they are.

Won't you please help us locate our friends? If they are returned, no questions will be asked. We hate to think of them as homeless and unloved. GPA will take good care of them if they are returned and you'll see them again next year. Please help us.

Fall Decorating Committee
Grayling Promotional Association



Almanack

Richard Millman

Disease is no laughing matter

THE MAGAZINE AD proclaims a new, livewire comedy video.

"Available on video for the first time... performing in your living room... the hilarious comedy, outrageous one-liners and side-splitting craziness of the legendary... Foster Brooks."

For the unenlightened, Foster Brooks is described as: "TV and movie star best known as... The Loveable Lush."

Since when is a lush lovable? Since when is drunkenness funny? Since when should we laugh at alcoholism?

Mr. Brooks has made a career of pretending to be drunk, and trying to do and say funny things while he's drunk.

But in my book, drunk is not funny. It may be sad... or pathetic... but certainly nothing to laugh at.

Alcoholism is a sickness. For every drunk, there are dozens of victims and lives filled with pain and suffering. We should not encourage those who try to capitalize on drunkenness.

Mr. Brooks is not the only performer to follow this trail. Red Skelton did it with some of his skits. So did Dean Martin. They're all wrong.

No matter how you cut it, drunk is anything but funny. It should not be celebrated.

ALONG SIMILAR LINES is Alzheimer's disease.

Some people make jokes about

the victims of Alzheimer's... forgetfulness, drifting in and out of reality, disorientation.

Some folks think this is funny. It's not. Anyone who tries to care for a loved one stricken with this awesome and awful ailment knows the truth. Alzheimer's is nothing to laugh about.

Both these illnesses — alcoholism and Alzheimer's — deserve understanding, patience, and recognition of the heartbreak and pain they can cause.

They are not jokes. Nobody should treat them as such.

I SEE BY THE PAPERS that a Congressional committee is looking into reasons why some postal workers 'grow so disgruntled they turn to violence.

The hearings were prompted by the tragedy at Royal Oak last November when a fired letter carrier walked into the post office with a rifle, killed four supervisors, wounded four other employees, and then killed himself.

Some things called "hostile environment" and "abusive management practices" have been blamed at least in part for driving the unhappy killer into causing the tragedy.

Similar events of employee unrest — although few with such tragic results — have been cited in other postal installations across the country.

Why is sorting and handling and delivering mail so stressful? It's a good question, without any good answers yet.

What happened at Royal Oak is

tragic, of course; but exactly what Congress can do about it is questionable.

Civics textbooks usually contend that Congressional hearings should have a legislative purpose; but how Congress could enact laws to solve the problems of unhappy postal workers is problematic. The hearings do serve the legitimate purpose of drawing public attention to an area where genuine problems seem to exist.

Perhaps Congress should take over the postal system. The lawmakers could run it like they do their own post office... or restaurant... or bank.

HE SAID IT — After age 35, according to physiologists, the average man loses one percent of his muscle strength annually, which prompted the following comment by a well-known athlete:

"I was gaining one percent, which means I'll never get faster. That just keeps me even. I would have to be gaining two percent muscle per year, which for anyone my age is almost impossible. I'm fighting something unavoidable and not exclusive to me. It's called old age."

Just who offered this self-analysis? Former Olympic swim champion Mark Spitz, aged 42.

Old age? At 42? Obviously, it's all perspective.

Opinions

Honesty, integrity more important than personality

To the reader who says he is going to cast his vote for Tom Weiss: give me a break. If personality were the number one criteria to be used in voting, then we would never have had such men as Abraham Lincoln for president, and what a shame that would be.

We have had enough "personality" in Lansing. What we need is honesty, integrity, and the courage to do what must be done.

Allan Lowe is committed to represent us in Lansing and to promote economic growth in northern Michigan. Tom Weiss seems committed to promoting Tom Weiss.

I know I speak for a lot of others when I say Allan Lowe has all the qualities needed plus the personality to represent us in Lansing.

Think about it.

Kay Lech
Grayling

Coaches and players respect each other

I am writing in response to the letter from Billie Joe Miller of October 1, 1992. I am sorry to read that she has only observed one Varsity football game. I wonder if she noticed the large amount of local support that this team generates.

Also, I wonder if Billie knows what goes on in the huddle after each game, and if she knows about the "I BELIEVE" T-shirts or if she knows about the love, respect, and the camaraderie that the coaches and

players have for each other. My son is a member of the J.V. squad and I will be proud when he is a part of this bond, side line or not. Until Billie can see how the coaches are with these kids, she should keep her comments in Roscommon. I, for one, applaud Mike Branch, Don Ferguson, Tony Diola, and most of all Dave Larkin for bringing this to our school. All the way Vikes!

Anne M. Beckwith
Grayling

Winning isn't everything, participation is important

Is there politics in our school sports? I believe there is. I personally think that there are quite a few young men on the Varsity team that aren't getting a fair chance to show what they can do.

These young men show up for practice every day. They show their team spirit, they show up for the JV game to support their attempt for victory. Then comes the Varsity game on Friday night, and they stand on the side line waiting for their chance to go in. For some it isn't a very long wait, but for others that chance never comes.

Being part of the team doesn't only mean school spirit, it also means participation.

I do understand wanting to win, but winning isn't everything. Every young man should be given the same opportunity to show what they can do. Win or lose, the uniform shows spirit, but participation shows PRIDE. Let these young men show what they can do.

Elizabeth A. Galloway
Grayling

What do our children deserve from voters?

As a subscriber to the Avalanche, I read with excitement and envy about Grayling's opportunity to implement Vision 2000. I was impressed with the

innovative School Board that initiated the project, and was optimistic that the required bond and millage issues would be approved.

As a neighbor and frequent visitor to Grayling, I have seen examples of community spirit and fortitude that are often missing in larger cities. I felt certain that the citizens of your area had a clear vision of your educational needs.

When I learned that the "no" vote had prevailed by a sizable margin, I was profoundly disappointed.

As an adult, my favorite meals still tend to be pot roast or macaroni and cheese, staples when I was a child because money was tight in our household. At the same time my memories of school in the 50s are of a gleaming new school building, the sound that a textbook makes when it is opened for the very first time, and as an eighth grader, the thrill I felt when I tried on my brand new band uniform for my proud family. I was not an accomplished musician, but the excitement of wearing that uniform kept me practicing the clarinet through my senior year.

Do our children deserve anything less? What message are we giving our students when we say that aging buildings, crowded cafeterias and ragged textbooks are good enough for them? What harm are we doing when we deny them participation in the new technologies? Granted, the method of funding schools in Michigan is flawed, but using this same imperfect system, our parents and grandparents accepted the responsibility of providing us with the very best education money could buy. Now it is our turn.

You will have another chance. You will have another opportunity to turn the positive community attitudes that I feel as a visitor into a reality for your children.

Susan Corbin
Traverse City

Let's Talk About It

By Joe Murphy

At the time I am writing this we have been enjoying some very beautiful fall days. The past few days have been real nice and warm and the nights cool, just like those times I remember from the old days. I just hope they continue for a long time to kind of make amends for our lousy summer. I used to think I would like to live in Florida, but the storms they have been having down there have sure changed my mind. We do our share of complaining about the weather, but we have very few life-threatening storms here, and what misery we blame on our weather can't compare with what those people have been through.

It was so nice this afternoon I just had to get out in the woods for awhile so I took my metal detector and went hunting for treasure. A couple of hours brought me the sum total of eighty cents in newer coins. But just a chance to be out in the woods enjoying their beauty, leaves me feeling well paid. I could just as well of taken my 22 and called it squirrel hunting, but I knew I wouldn't have shot if I did see any. It isn't what I take out of the wood that's important to me now but what I leave there. My worries and troubles just seem to fall off my shoulders as I spend that quiet time in the woods.

The so-called animals lovers groups were out to harass the bow hunters down around Hell, Michigan, this weekend. I hope

those hunters they bothered did not let them get the best of them and react with any violence, for that is what they would like to be able to complain about. But I can't help but hope that one of the deer they save will be the one they hit with their forty thousand dollar sports car.

I guess the old man is still a country boy at heart and I need that time in the quiet woods to sort of counter balance the condition our world is in today. When I read my newspaper or watch the evening news of all the crime in the world today, parents killing children, children killing parents, I often think I would like to live so far back in the woods that you would have to pump in daylight. Then I think of all the good friends I have whose lives are not that way and put things in proper perspective.

I never cease to be amazed by the artistic talent of the people of our town. Terry Barr with his paints and brushes is able to capture woodland scenes and wildlife and change old saws into objects of beauty. As I write this, I can look at the wall and see his painting of a pair of rising mallards that look so real I can almost smell the marsh. Thank you Terry for those pleasant memories that your painting brings to mind.



Letters To The Editor

Grayling Promotional Association salutes two members

The Grayling Promotional Association (GPA) would like to salute and congratulate two special GPA members who received community honors at the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce dinner/dance, Saturday, September 26.

D. J. Brown of Mac's Drugs, was awarded the "1992 Citizen of the Year" sponsored by the Chamber, and Norma Naour of Cornell Realty, received the "Athena Award," a Chamber honor,

sponsored by Scheer Motors. Both women have devoted many years of time and talent to the community to enrich the lives of all Grayling citizens. We in the GPA feel privileged to count these women among our ranks. Our thanks to the Chamber and Scheer

Motors for honoring D. J. and Norma with the recognition they so richly deserve. Congratulations, again, D. J. and Norma, and thanks for caring about Grayling! Your friends at GPA think you are an inspiration to everyone!

Linda Albee
Grayling

District Court

Gerald Anson Cichy, 34, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of OUIL 2nd, and was sentenced to two days in the county jail, fined \$725 or 60 additional days, plus placed on one year probation. He was cited May 30, 1992.

Thomas Gregory Haskins, 40, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of OUIL, and was sentenced to 45 days in the county jail, to run concurrent with sentence, plus his license was revoked. He was cited November 4, 1991, by the State Police Dept.

Laura Owens, 28, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of Failure To Inform Under \$500, and was placed on one year probation, restitution paid. She was cited from October, 1990, through November, 1990.

Joy Lyn Kolka, 24, of Roscommon, plead guilty to a charge of NSF Check Over \$50, Under \$200, and was fined \$155 or 14 days, ordered to pay \$83.50 restitution, and placed on six months probation. She was cited October 7, 1991, by the City Police Dept.

Matthew Claude Stackpole, 23, of Commerce Twp., plead guilty to a charge of NSF Check Under \$50, and was fined \$155 or 14 days, restitution paid. He was cited August 31, 1991.

Samual Scott Mack, 18, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of Larceny Under \$100, and was fined \$155 or 14 days, restitution paid. He was cited

from March, 1992, through May, 1992.

Jamie Lyn Isenhauer, 18, of Frederic, plead guilty to a charge of Malicious Destruction Under \$100, and was fined \$205 or 30 days, ordered to pay \$175 restitution, plus placed on six months probation. She was cited August 1, 1992.

Steven Michael Whelton, 42, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of Create Contention In Public Place, and was fined \$155 or 14 days. He was cited August 4, 1992, by the City Police Dept.

Michael Christopher Rachwal, 18, of Grayling, demanded a preliminary exam to a charge of Forgery License Documents/Plates. A \$2,500 personal bond was set.

James Michael Carr, 50, of Union Lake, was bound over to Circuit Court on a charge of Carrying Concealed Weapon. A \$100 cash bond was set.

Porter Morris Smith, 23, demanded a preliminary exam to a charge of Prisoner In Possession of Contraband. No bond was set as he is a state prisoner. Samuel Keith Moon, 58, was bound over to Circuit Court on a charge of Prisoner Possessing Contraband. No bond was set as he is a state prisoner.

Mary Carlson, 55, of Grayling, was charged with 3 NSF Checks Within 10 days. On motion of Prosecuting Attorney, case was dismissed without prejudice.

46th Circuit Court

Appearing before the Honorable William A. Porter, October 5:

David Robert Kaniecki, age 20 of Grand Blanc, plead guilty to Count II: Attempted Assault With A Dangerous Weapon. In exchange for his plea Count I will be dismissed. It is expected that he will serve no more than six months in the county jail.

Randee Craig Johnson, age 31 of Grayling, was sentenced on the charge of Delivery of Marijuana. He was placed on 24 months probation and sentenced to three months in the county jail with credit for six days previously served. He was ordered to pay \$400 court costs, \$645 attorney fees, \$30 to the crime victims' fund, and \$30 a month probation oversight fees. He shall not use illegal drugs. He shall receive substance abuse treatment and submit to random blood, breath and urine tests.

Gordon Dale Aseltine, age 31 of Shepherd, was sentenced from five to 20 years in The Michigan Department of Correction with credit for 211 days served, for Criminal Sexual Conduct 1st Degree.

Ronald Chester Johnson, age 40 of Hillsdale, was sentenced on the charge of Retail Fraud I. In exchange for his plea a Habitual Offender charge was

dismissed. Johnson was placed on five years probation and sentenced to 365 days in the county jail with 107 days credit. He is to be evaluated and if treatment is necessary he may be placed in a residential drug treatment program.

Magistrate

Jeffrey Carl Stieve of Auburn, plead guilty to Transport Uncased Bow — Motor Vehicle, and was fined \$115.

Daryl Oscar Stieve of Auburn, plead guilty to Transport Uncased Bow — Motor Vehicle, and was fined \$115.

Michael John Keeley Sr. of Auburn Hills, plead guilty to Transport Uncased Bow — Motor Vehicle, and was fined \$115.

Theodore Mike Kochan Jr. of Saginaw, plead guilty to Hunt From Permanently Affixed Tree Stand, and was fined \$115.

Antonio Tony Trujillo of Grayling, plead guilty to Hunt From Permanently Affixed Tree Blind, and was fined \$115.

Earl James Michener of Grayling, plead guilty to Hunt From Permanent Raised Platform (tree stand), and was fined \$115.



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185 GHS alumni return for Homecoming Dinner

By Clara Sorenson

It was a great evening for GHS Alumni on Saturday, September 26, as 185 gathered at Weatherly's for the Annual Homecoming Dinner and Dance. The reception started at 5:30 p.m. Buffet dinner was served at 7 p.m. after the invocation by Katherine Funck.

President Floyd L. Millikin opened the program with a welcome. The Honor guest, Marie LaMotte Akers, Class of '38, was introduced by Clara Atkinson Sorenson, membership secretary. Marie received a plaque for her dedication to elementary teaching for 31 1/2 years in our school system. We appreciate her for serving on the Alumni Board for many years, and for watching over our School Room at the Museum.

With her were her family, husband, LeRoy, son Larry, daughter Lynn and husband Tom Welsh, daughter Maribeth and husband Steve Miller, her sisters, Lily and husband Art Clough, Margaret and son Larry Balch and wife Delores, Donnalee and husband Gus Williams, their daughter Pat and husband Gary Swanson, their

daughters Raeann and Marcie, and her sister-in-law, Fern Akers Duncan.

To continue the Class recognitions of anniversary years of the 2s and 7s, started with the Class of '22 — Vella Herman Hill and Earl Nelson. No one was present from the Class of '27 but a phone call and letter from Ethel Taylor Pierce, North Abington, Mass., sent greetings to friends and classmates. The Class of '32 — Evelyn Jordan Lozon, Marie Brown Post, Forrest Annis. The Class of '37 — Virginia Skingley Millikin, Edwin Chalker, Bill Joseph. The Class of '47 — Nancy Cox Hoffman, Phil Keway, Sally Brady Tobin, Maxine Kolka Papendick, Jean Rasmussen Potter. The Class of '57 — Jean Smith Wilson, Tony Doremire, Marie Morgan Loiselle. This class had their 35th reunion in July. The Class of '62 — Pauline Millikin Hatfield. This class had their 30th reunion in August. Class of '72 — Richard Lippard.

The golden Class of '42 was a big one. They gathered at the Bovee home and came to the dinner as a group of friends who were happy to be together — Fay Christenson Bovee, Beatrice

Carr Ahrens, Irene Pynnonen Sanger, Joyce Buggy Piper, Weldon Nielson, Edwin Funck, Mildred Craft Harmer, Eugenia Wheeler Kaiser, Donnalee LaMotte Williams, Clarence Small, Elizabeth Swanson Schamp, Herb McDonnell, Joanne Montour Gallaher, Francis Annis, Helen Newell Johnson, Junior Palmer, Elaine Broadbent Bobenmoyer, Dick Rasmussen, Jean Stevenson Kiel, Elmer Dunham, Jay Stephan, Jerrine Mathews Gillette.

GHS Alumni from out-of-town asked where all the local were. Here is a list of out-of-town alumni attending.

Beatrice Carr Ahrens, Joanne Montour Gallaher, Flint. Jacques Perry, Harrisville. Virginia Feldhauser VonSee, Bellaire. Ben Morris, Dearborn Hts. Jean Smith Wilson, Whitmore Lake. Jerome Brady, W. Bloomfield. Floyd and Jean Brady McClain, Redford. Tom and Lynn Akers Welsh, Bridgeport.

Herb McDonnell, Kalamazoo. Dick Lowe, Dimondale. Shirley Kolka Devine, St. Clair

Shores. Jackie Blackmer Hatfield, Fife Lake. Paul Lovely, Sanford Lake. Elizabeth Swanson Schamp, Dearborn.

Don Corwin, Clinton. Keith Warner, Lake Odessa. Ken Peterson, Davison. Maxine Kolka Papendick, Clio. Sally Brady Tobin, Livonia. Donna Horning Gardner, Higgins Lake.

Ken Hoesti, Gladwin. Jerrine Mathews Gillette, Adrian. Roger Nelson, Mason. Ernest Corwin, Cadillac. Phil Keway, Lake City. Weldon Nielson, Paris. Sandra Newell Hose, Houghton Lake.

Connie LaGrow Smock, Roscommon. Louise Annis Linderman, Midland. Bill Babbitt, Edwin Chalker, Kalkaska. Vella Herman Hill, Virginia Peterson Martin, Francis Annis, Lansing.

Clare and Karen Rasmussen Burns, Traverse City. Beatrice Schreiber Hildebrand, Anna Schreiber Coulters, Gaylord.

Ruth Sherbonda Vaern, Nellie Pynnonen Worsley, Lewiston.

Elmer Dunham, Mildred Craft Harmer, Frederic.

Erdine Larson Corwin, Alberta Knibbs Wiggins, Marie Morgan Loiselle, Jay Stephan, Pat Thompson, Saginaw.

Iris Annis Bell, Bay City. Dewey Coutts, Delaware, Ohio. Esbern Olson, Fostoria, Ohio.

Dale Burns, Redlands, California. A.J. Charron, Springfield, Virginia. John Westerholm, Lakeland, Florida.

Jean Stevenson Kiel, Homosassa, Florida.

Gary and Pat Williams Swanson, Seminole, Florida.

Clarence Small, Rockford, Illinois. Joyce Buggy Piper, Princeton, Illinois.

Irene Pynnonen Sanger, Tucson, Arizona.

Finley Klingensmith, Erie, Pennsylvania.

Also spouses or family who came as our guests.

There is one group we like to mention. That is our teachers who make all of us Alumni. With us were Fay and Bob Bovee, Elmer Fenton,

former principal, Katherine Funck, Vella Hill, Ruth Burrows Moore, and our guest, Marie Akers, teaching 4th grade at Grayling Elementary School. The Band represented us with three alumni — Nancy Hoffman, '47; Jamie Cox, '78; Tim Taylor, '83; and former teacher and band director, Howard Taylor.

Weatherly's provided good service and good food, the Original AuSable River Dixieland Band played our music to keep us dancing all evening, the Avalanche provided coverage of our activities and pictures, the decorating committee made the cheerful atmosphere under the supervision of Virginia Millikin and helpers, Jeff Fowler and Pauline Hatfield, and anyone else not mentioned — a good job well done.

Our program ended with "God Bless America."

Bits of Talk

by Fay Bovee

Bruce and Corrine Smith spent a week in Lake Linden recently where they visited her sisters and husbands, Melba and Dizzy Dupuis and Arlene and George Stevens.

Caroline Allison Andree of Longmont, Colorado, has been visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Leonard Allison, and family, for a week.

Laura Price, 13-year-old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Price (nee Deyanne Gibson) of Carsonville and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler Gibson of Grayling, has a ballot dance role in the International Ballet Theatre Company production of "The Nutcracker Suite" to be held at McMorran Auditorium in Port Huron in December.

Want your nails looking fantastic for homecoming? Call the Golden Touch for an appointment, 348-5212.

Harvest Dinner offers take-outs

The annual Harvest Dinner at Michelson United Methodist Church will be held on Thursday, October 22. Turkey dinner, with all the trimmings, and homemade pie will be served from 5 to 7 p.m. Adults are \$6, children 12 and under are \$2.50, and under four are free. Take-outs will be available from 4 to 5 p.m.

St. John ladies host luncheon and card party

The ladies of St. John Lutheran Church will host a luncheon and card party in the Fellowship Hall at the church on Wednesday, October 21. Luncheon will be served at 12 noon, followed by cards. Everyone is welcome.

For more information, call Lois LaGrow at 348-7011, Dorothy McLeod at 348-9169, or the church office at 348-5224.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made June 30, 1988, by Thomas D. King and Hannah S. Dean, as mortgagor(s), to the United States of America, as mortgagee, and recorded on July 1, 1988, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan, in Liber 280 of mortgages on pages 477-480;

On which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this notice Fifty Thousand Seventy-two and 24/100 Dollars (\$50,072.24) principal and Twelve Thousand Six Hundred Sixty-seven and 84/100 Dollars (\$12,667.84) interest;

no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt or any part of the debt secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default;

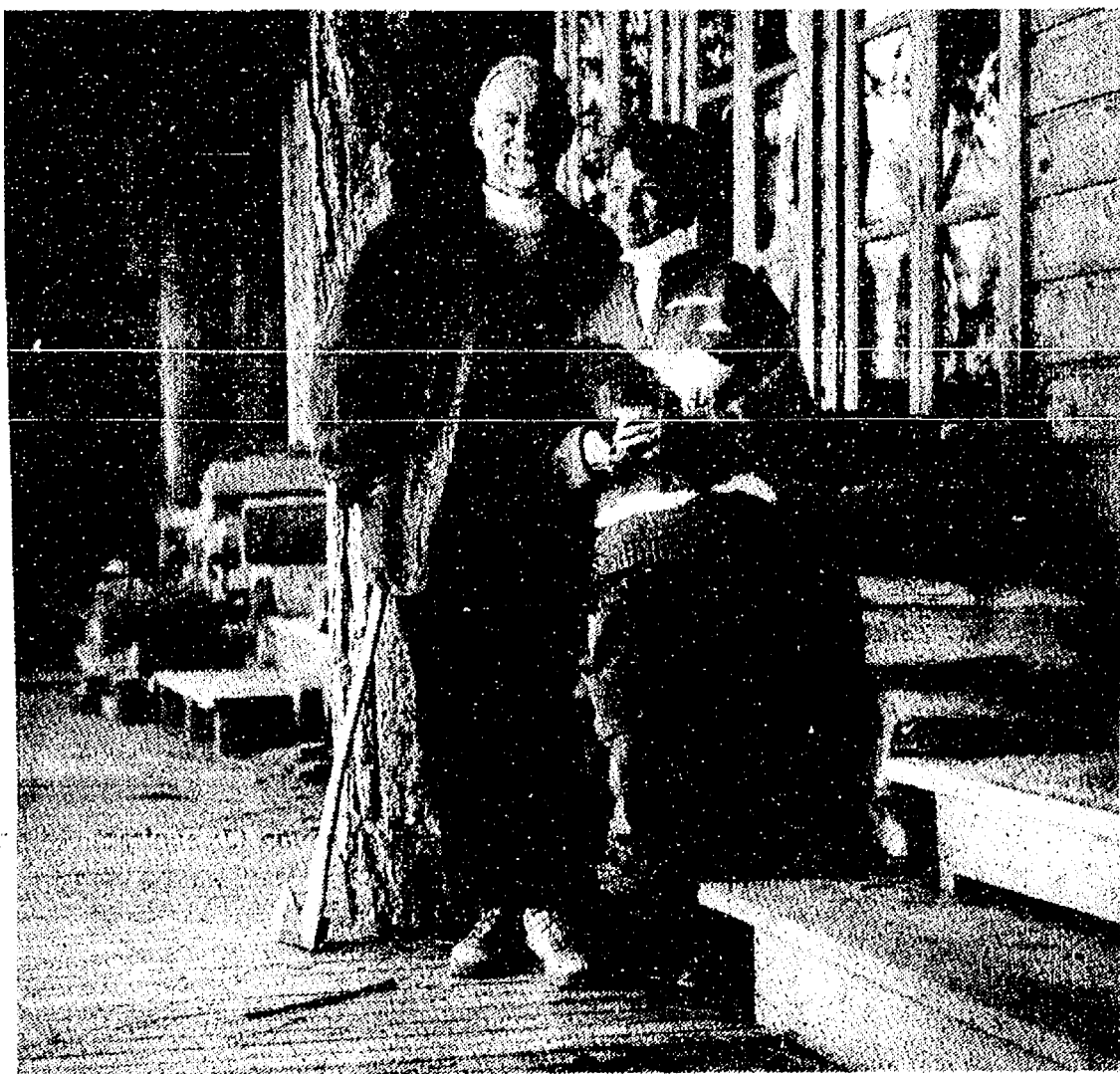
NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is Hereby Given that on December 3, 1992, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon at the Front steps (east side) of Courthouse in Grayling, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, together with the legal costs and charges of sale provided by law and in said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to wit:

Lot #11, Karen Woods, as recorded in the Plat thereof, Grayling Township, Crawford County, Michigan.

The redemption period will be six months from the foreclosure sale. Property may be redeemed by paying the amount of the bid at the foreclosure sale plus interest and any unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale. For additional information, contact UNITED STATES OF AMERICA acting through Farmers Home Administration, 377 S. Mt. Tom Rd., Mio, MI, 48647, mortgagee. Dated: October 14, 1992

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GRAYLING TOWNSHIP NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING

Please be notified the Zoning Board Of Appeals will hold a public hearing on October 26, 1992, at 7:00 pm in the Township Office, 2090 Viking Way (M-72 W), to hear the following case:

Case #92-27: Jack J. Hogan, petitioner.
T26N, R2W, Sec. 34. Off Chase Bridge Road.
R-F Zone.

A request to place a 12' x 60' dwelling on property.

Tentative text and zoning maps may be examined at the Township Office during regular business hours.

Correspondence concerning the request should be directed to: Grayling Township, P.O. Box 521, Grayling, MI 49738. Telephone: 517/348-4361.

Monica S. Ashton
Clerk

Obituaries

Elizabeth Trudgeon

Elizabeth B. Trudgeon, 90, of Grayling, died Saturday, October 10, 1992, at Mercy Manor. A Mass of Christian Burial was held Monday, October 12, 1992, at St. Mary's Catholic Church, with Reverend Michael Conner officiating. Burial was in Riverside Cemetery in Soo Township.

Pallbearers were Tim Hopkins, Phillip Trudgeon, Rene Trudgeon, David Trudgeon, Thomas Trudgeon and Bill Johnson.

Mrs. Trudgeon was born October 1, 1902, in Egypt, Pennsylvania. She graduated with honors from Northern Michigan University in Marquette. She taught elementary school in Bonifas, Michigan and then went to Sault Ste. Marie where she taught school from 1952 until her retirement in 1967. She moved to Grayling a little over five years ago to be near her son, Jack, and she was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Raymond, daughter, Barbara Hopkins, and her parents, Joseph and Barbara Sisko.

Survivors include: sons, Raymond "Jack" and Agnes Trudgeon of Grayling and Robert G. and MarJean Trudgeon of Warren; sister, Helen Miller of Sun City, Arizona; 15 grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren.

Arrangements were made by Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel.

Francis Tanski

Francis R. Tanski, 51, of Maple Forest Township, died Friday, October 9, 1992, at his residence. Funeral services were held Sunday, October 11, 1992, at Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel, with Reverend Michael Conner officiating. Burial was in Maple Forest Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Francis Barrett, Donald Germain, Jon Cragg, Ron Hinds, Earl SanCartier and Rodney Adkison.

Mr. Tanski was born April 4, 1941, in Hamtramck. He was a former resident of Port Huron and Kansas. He and his wife, Juanita, moved to Grayling in April, 1990. He had been employed as a mechanic and auto-body repairman. He was preceded in death by his parents, Stanley and Genevieve (Mrczykowsky) Tanski.

Survivors include: wife, Juanita (Black) Tanski; son, Todd Tanski of Port Huron; daughter, Genevieve Tanski of Greenbrier, Tennessee; stepson, Thomas Tarzwell of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; stepdaughter, Tammy Haight of Aguanga, California; and three grandchildren.

Olive Dumas

Olive C. Dumas, 88, of Grayling, died Saturday, October 10, 1992, at her residence. Funeral and committal services were held Tuesday, October 13, 1992, from the Ware-Smith-Woollever & Co. Funeral Home, 1200 West Wheeler Street, Midland, with burial in the Midland Cemetery.

She is survived by two sons and one daughter-in-law, George Dumas and Joseph and RoseMarie Dumas; sister, Ruth Lewis; five grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband in 1951 and by two sisters.

Cards of thanks

Our thank you to the many friends who remembered us with cards and flowers on our 50th wedding anniversary. A special thank you to Donna Carmean and our wonderful family, Sara, Gayle and Steve.

De and Polly Dawson

Births

The following parents are proud to announce their recent arrivals at Grayling Mercy Hospital:

Darcie Godin of Lewiston: Paige Madeline, September 27, 1992, 6 lbs., 9.6 ozs.

Bill and Amy Lester of Roscommon: Jennifer Nicole, October 2, 1992, 7 lbs., 10 ozs.

John McLeod and Bonnie Jones of Beaver Creek Twp.: Destine Marie, October 2, 1992, 6 lbs., 3.5 ozs.

James and Lori Darling of Higgins Lake: Emily Ann, October 2, 1992, 5 lbs., 7.3 ozs.

Ron and Cheryl Alden of Roscommon: Joshua, October 2, 1992, 8 lbs., 1 1/2 oz.

Library program features five endangered animals

"Red Tongue" will be presented at the Crawford County Library Saturday, October 24, at 11 a.m. to celebrate National Stamp Collecting month which has an emphasis this year on endangered animals.

The endangered animals in the program are the Giraffe, Giant Panda, King Penguin, White Bengal Tiger, and the Flamingo. This program is open to children of all ages. For more information call 348-9214.

Cards of thanks

My sincere thanks to Dr.'s Rosi and Ramaswamy and all the nurses for all their care during my hospital stay. Also thanks to everyone for all the cards, flowers, visits, phone calls and prayers during my recent surgery.

Charlie Gierke

St. Mary's Annual Christmas Bazaar
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GRAYLING TOWNSHIP NOTICE

The Grayling Township Planning Commission will hold public hearings on Tuesday, October 27, 1992, at 7:00 pm in the Conference Room of the Grayling Township Hall, 2090 Viking Way (M-72 West), Grayling, to receive and review public comment regarding the following cases:

Case 92-1C: Gerald & Barbara Hebekeuser, petitioners.
Property Code: 20-044-031-015-020-00.
Location: Fay's Motel 78 N. I-75 B.L.

A request for Conditional Use Permit to use a 1981 Kingsley 70x14 mobile home, presently located on the property, for interim length stays by guests who need more amenities than the usual motel unit.

Case 92-2C: Robert & Nancy McLachlan, petitioners.
Property Code: 20-042-022-001-120-00.
Location: Northeast side of Grayling Avenue, Lake Margrethe, Sec. 22, T26N, R4W.

A request for a Conditional Use Permit to allow construction of 2 six unit multi-family dwellings on 2.5 acres. One and two bedroom apartments.

Case files and Zoning Ordinance may be viewed at the Grayling Township Hall during regular business hours.

Correspondence may be directed to Grayling Township: P.O. Box 521, Grayling, MI 49738. (517) 348-4361.

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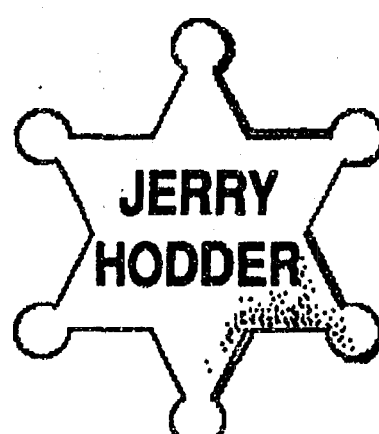
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VOTERS OF CRAWFORD COUNTY Hodder Announces New Undersheriff If Elected

Jerry Hodder, a Crawford County Sheriff Deputy with the Crawford County Sheriff Reserve Division and the Democratic Candidate for the office of Crawford County Sheriff, announces publicly his new Undersheriff if elected will be **Floyd Millikin**, a State Trooper with over 30 years with the Michigan State Police.

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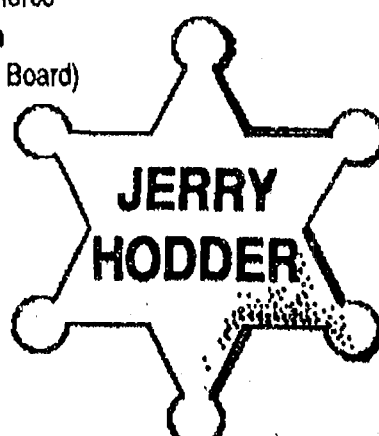
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Graduate Camp LeJune N.C. Advanced Infantry Tactics
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State funds through "Protecting Michigan's Future Recreation Bond" grants program are being used to assist in construction, and that relevant state requirements will apply.

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Drawings and specifications may be obtained on or after September 30, 1992 at:

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Overcoming disabilities is challenge

By Kate Rowan

Finding employment during a recession is difficult for anyone, but imagine the challenge for someone with a disability or impairment.

With the help of ROOC, Community Mental Health and the new Support Employment program, Sean Gibbony overcame his disability and is now working full time at the Grayling

Holiday Inn.

"I love it here," Gibbony said. "I like the people, it's even fun here at times."

With the assistance of a job coach, Gibbony began his job as a house man, helping clean rooms, in the housekeeping department a year ago.

Despite his disorder, manic depression, Gibbony works well with his co-workers, Linda Pellar,

Gibbony's supervisor said.

"Sean is extremely dependable," she said. "Most of the people we've had with disabilities (through C.O.O.R. and other programs) are more energetic and dependable simply because they are so happy to have a job."

Dean Smith, the Holiday Inn's General Manager, agrees.

"We've found some of our best employees through these programs," he said.

Some businesses may be cautious or apprehensive to take on this type of program, Smith said.

"Businesses may be apprehensive or afraid to attempt what they don't understand because they don't know what to expect. Sean is a good example of what kind of good employee you

can get."

Because Sean has proved himself in his position, he is not treated any differently than any other employee.

"We're all humans. Don't talk to them [people with disabilities] or treat them any differently than you want to be treated," Mary May, Assistant House keeping supervisor, said. "I just think, if that was my son, how would I want people to treat him?"

Gibbony appreciates the opportunities he has received from his affiliation with the Holiday Inn. These people have become a family to him, he said.

"Thank you for being supportive, patient and supplying me with a job," he said. "I know it can be hair raising at times, but just thank you."



Sean Gibbony

Disabled workers

Continued from page 1

The Kmart job was big boost for Alice.

"It helps a lot to know I can do something," she said.

Besides her job at Kmart, Alice is also writing poetry. She has published her own book of poetry and she's now trying to write songs. She's writing the words for songs but would like someone in the community to help write the music to the words. At a

recent blind camp at Camp AuSable in Grayling, Alice sang songs and read her poems during a talent show.

In addition to writing poetry, Alice is working at finishing her general education degree (GED) through C.O.O.R. The intermediate school district for Crawford, Oscoda, Ogemaw, and Roscommon counties has the education material available in large print.

Michigan Rehabilitation Services has help available for persons who have special needs at the work site. Landon said the recent national Disabilities Act is also helping employers focus on the abilities offered by disabled persons. The law is requiring reasonable accommodations for handicapped or disabled persons in the work place.

For their participation in the Michigan Rehabilitation Services program, both the Grayling Kmart and the Grayling Holiday Inn received certificates of appreciation from the state agency.



GREETINGS--Alice Malkin, left, greets Ann Doty of Grayling, in the Grayling Kmart while her former job coach, Arlene Williams, look on.

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FRI. 16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •HAPPY BOSSES DAY! •HOMECOMING PARADE, 6 pm. •VARSITY FB HOMECOMING GAME VS. WHITEMORE PRESCOTT, home, 7:30 pm.
SAT. 17	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •HOMECOMING DANCE, 9 pm. •US CONSTITUTION DAY. •HAPPY SWEETEST DAY!
SUN. 18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •NORTHERN MI. SINGLES DANCE @ Grayling Holiday Inn, 7 - 11 pm. All singles 21 & over - cash bar, free snacks, door prizes. Admission \$5. •ATTEND THE CHURCH of your choice today!
MON. 19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •MS GBB "A" VS. GAYLORD, 6 pm. •SCHOOL BOARD MEETING @ MS conference room, 7 pm. •KIWANIS LUNCHEON MEETING @ 12:10 pm. Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel. •AMERICAN ASSOCIATION of retired persons meeting @ COA office, 1:30 pm.
TUES. 20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •SOCIAL SECURITY REPRESENTATIVE @ County Building, 10:30 - 2 pm. •GRAYLING PROMOTIONAL Association luncheon meeting, 12 noon, Copper Kettle Restaurant and Lounge. •AMERICAN BUSINESS WOMEN'S Association dinner meeting @ 6:30 pm, Irontate Restaurant. For more information contact Pauline Petroskey @ 348-2961. •CONCERNED CITIZENS for Animals meeting @ Abundant Life Tabernacle Church, 7 pm. For more information call 348-4117.
WED. 21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •FRESH GBB VS. ALCONA, home, 6 pm. •MS GBB "A" VS. JOHANNESBURG, away, 6 pm. •GRAYLING RECREATION AUTHORITY meeting @ Grayling Township Hall, 5 pm. •ROTARY LUNCHEON MEETING @ 12 noon, Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel. •WEIGHT WATCHER'S MEETING @ St. Francis Episcopal Church on M-72 West; weigh-in 4:45 pm, meeting 5:30 pm. •LIONS CLUB MEETING @ Irontate Restaurant, 6:30 pm. •COA Phyllis Brummer will be on hand 9-11:30 am to help Seniors with Medicare & Medicaid problems, or call 348-7123.

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CHANCE AT LOTTERY—Successful bidders Charlene Fry and Barb Hans-Kerner scratched off Instant Lottery Tickets donated by Scheer Motors.

United Way Auction

Over \$15,500 was raised at this year's United Way Auction, exceeding the total for any previous years. The celebrity auctioneers were the highlight of the evening, offering everything from cats and dogs to instant lottery tickets, boat trips, cars, and gourmet dinners. Less than 2% of the funds raised go towards administrative expenses, thanks to the many fine volunteers, and 14 local agencies benefitting infants to the elderly are the recipients of over \$54,000. Another fine job was done by the co-chairmen, Gloria Kraus and Maureen McNamara.



RECORD AMOUNT—Volunteer auctioneer Ron Sprague with co-chairmen Maureen McNamara, center, and Gloria Kraus helped raise a record \$15,500 for United Way.

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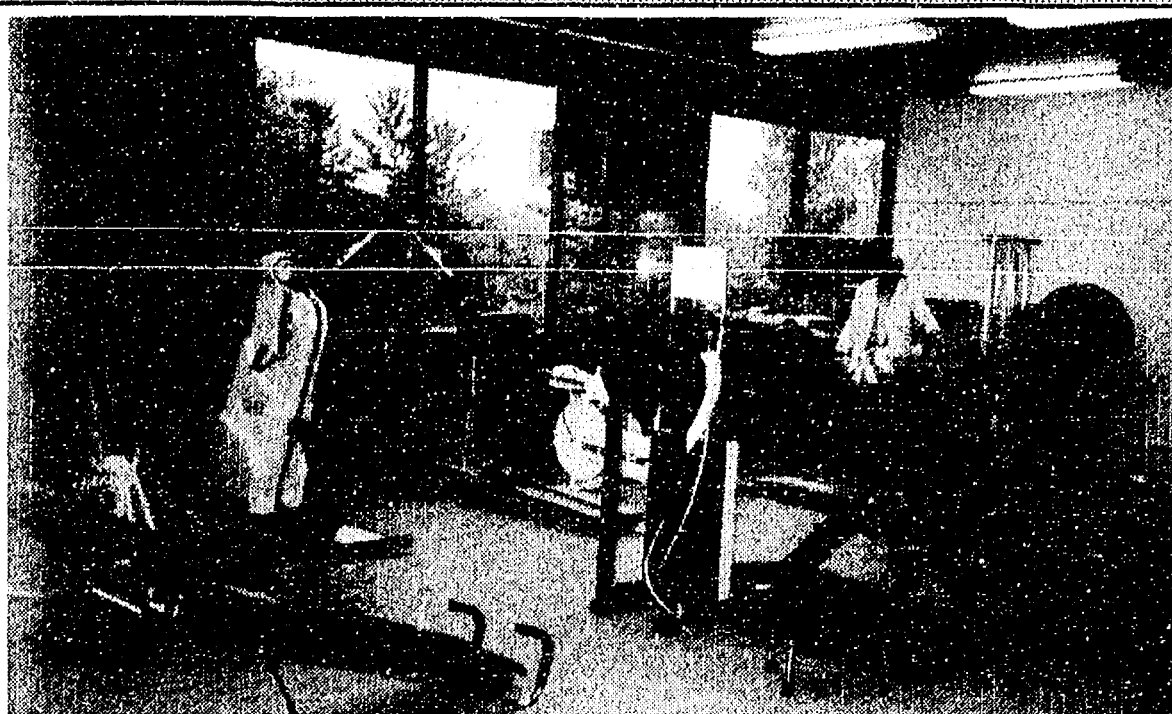
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Spenny, Abernathy win Fox Run golf titles

Fox Run Country Club held its third annual "Member's Bash" and club championship tournament on Sunday, October 4.

Louise Spenny captured the

women's title with a score of 48-42-90. Terry Abernathy won the men's championship with a 41-37-78. Low net scores for the day were 66 by Helen Corbett for the ladies and 64 by Dave Lorian for the men.

Local musicians will lead KCC talent competition

The InterVarsity Christian Fellowship Club at Kirtland Community College will be presenting their Second Annual Talent

Competition on Saturday, October 17, at 7:30 p.m. in the Kirtland Auditorium.

A variety of contestants will present vocal and musical selections, dramatic readings and provide other performances. In addition to contestants, special music will be provided by Betsy Mitchell (last year's grand prize winner), and Frank Schloss, who will play a dulcimer. Recording artist "Keyna" will present selected songs from her latest album.

Admission is \$2 for students, \$3 for general audiences, and \$8 for families. For further information, contact Kirtland at 517-275-5121.

Hunter safety class offered in Lovells

A hunter safety class will be offered at the Lovells Township Hall October 24-25. The Saturday class will be 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and the Sunday class will be 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The class is open to hunters 12 years and older. A social security number is required. For more information call Glenn Robertson, 348-8081.

A.A.R.P. meets October 19

The American Association of Retired Persons meets the third Monday of each month at the C.O.A. office, 308 Lawndale Dr.

Anyone in Crawford County over 50 years of age is encouraged to attend and become informed of issues concerning seniors.

Allen Lowe, candidate for the 105th House District, will be the speaker October 19. Following the meeting there is a social time and refreshments are served.

Priestap earns Oakland degree

Robert Priestap of Grayling, was among 685 Oakland University students receiving degrees at commencement exercises September 20. He earned a Masters degree in Physical Therapy.

Hospice group plans tea and musicale

Home Hospice With Loving Care is busy making preparations for their First Annual Tea and Musicales scheduled for 3:30 p.m. on Sunday, October 18, at Kirtland Community College Auditorium.

The entertainment will begin with the Roscommon County String Quartet, featuring Anitra Mercer, violin; Helga Benz, violin; Jim Beinke, viola; and Sue Glover, cello. Following the quartet, the Lady of the Lake with Pooh Stevenson, Wanda Degen and Karrie Potter, will perform contemporary folk music in a blend of voices and antique strings, featuring the autoharp, banjo, bouzouki, cello, hammer and mountain dulcimers, guitar and mandolin.

Following the concert, High Tea including petite desserts and light

sandwiches will be served in the Student Activity Center. The Roscommon County String Quartet will provide background music during tea. A \$10 per person donation includes the concert, High Tea, and entry in door prize drawings.

A raffle drawing is also planned during the event. Prizes include a St. Nicholas Original Replica, an Original Stephen Vot Brass Sculpture, an Original Pillowcase Doll, and various gift baskets such as the one pictured in the foreground, that have been donated by the Hospice Board and committee members. Raffle tickets are \$1 each, or six for \$5, and you need not be present to win.

Concert and raffle tickets are available through the Hospice Office at 275-8967.

Thank You Grayling

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IMPORTANT PUBLIC NOTICE

The Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) is currently preparing its 1993-95 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP), in accordance with requirements of the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act of 1991 (ISTEA). The Act governs the distribution of federal aid for transportation projects across the country and requires that each state department of transportation develop a three-year statewide transportation improvement program.

The Michigan STIP will include anticipated surface transportation projects to be implemented in non-urban areas of the state. Projects to be implemented in urbanized areas with greater than 50,000 residents will be discussed in a Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) produced by the area's Metropolitan Planning Organization.

In addition to the above projects, MDOT will administer transit programs with funds received under ISTEA in 1993-95. These funds will provide for the purchase of buses and vans, capital equipment, capital and operating assistance, facility expansion and renovations, and grants for research, training, and related support services. Transit programs and projects in the urbanized areas are listed in the relevant metropolitan area Transportation Improvement Program (TIP).

The public is urged to review and comment on the interim 1993-95 STIP projects. Persons desiring a list of the projects should call or write to:

PHILIP J. CHISHOLM, Public Hearings Officer, Michigan Department of Transportation
 Bureau of Transportation Planning, P.O. Box 30050, Lansing, MI 48909 (517) 373-9534

Persons having questions on the projects may direct those questions to their local MDOT District Engineers:

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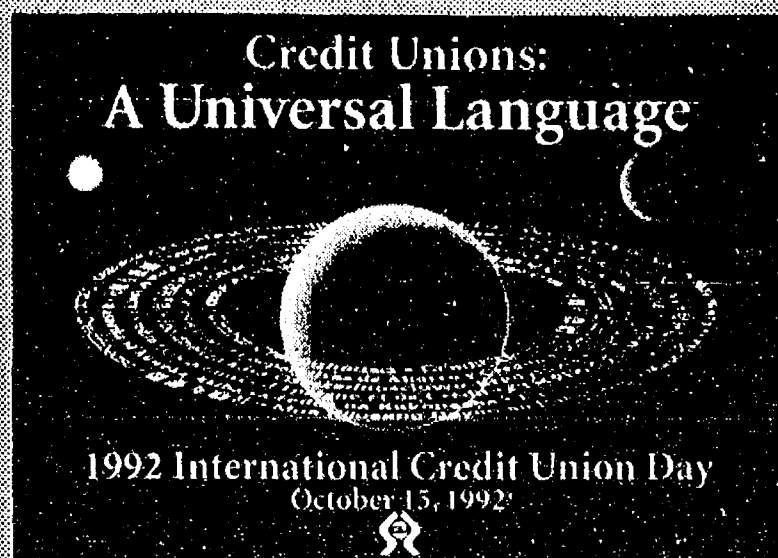
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October 15, 1992 • International Credit Union Day

Credit unions: A great place to borrow and save

What is a credit union?

In its simplest definition, a credit union is a "cooperative bank." It is a non-profit, member-owned financial cooperative that's democratically controlled by its members, all of whom share a "common bond" of one type or another.

How does it differ from other financial institutions?

Since a credit union is owned entirely by its members, the pressures and influences exerted by outside stockholders to produce a big profit are eliminated. Instead, credit unions offer lower interest rates on loans and a better return on savings.

They return surplus funds to members as dividends on savings, interest rebates on loans, or improved services.

Why should you become a credit union member?

When you open a savings account at a credit union, you become an owner. As such, you gain the right to attend annual meetings, vote for the board of directors, and serve as a credit union officer... even as president. This means that directly or indirectly, you help shape and control the institution that serves your basic financial needs. Each member has one vote, regardless of how much money he or she has on deposit in the credit union.

Are credit unions safe?

Not only are credit unions safe, but a case could be made that they are better insured than banks and savings and loans.

Deposits in America's credit unions are insured to \$100,000 by the National Credit Union Administration (NCUA), a federal agency, through the National Credit Union Share Insurance Fund (NCUSIF), equivalent in purpose and structure to the FDIC and FSLIC. Thus, credit union members enjoy the same degree of safety as customers of banks and savings and loans.

What's in it for you financially?

As a credit union member, you'll enjoy above average rates on

savings, low interest rates on a variety of loans, availability of low-cost insurance products, and a host of other services. Two out of three credit union members feel that the rates offered by their credit union are the best available from any financial institution. After all, the people who set credit union rates use the services themselves, so they have a personal interest in establishing and maintaining favorable rates.

Can a credit union provide you with all the services you need?

It depends on the size of the credit union and the needs of its membership. For example, some credit unions offer only savings accounts and personal loans, while others may offer a variety of services such as share drafts (checking accounts), loans, mortgage loans, credit cards, IRAs, financial planning services, and more. In the realm of the free enterprise system, credit unions are a great success story. They operate efficiently and effectively; are democratically run and controlled by their members and volunteers; and operate expressly for the benefit of the membership. While some credit unions may not look much different from other financial institutions, there's a lot more to them than meets the eye.

Credit Unions keep growing despite sluggish economy

Despite last year's sluggish economy, credit unions grew stronger during 1991, continuing an established pattern of consistent, steady progress. The democratic cooperative idea of credit unions is taking root in nations around the world. As rapid political and economic changes continue in eastern and central Europe, credit unions have formed in Poland and are forming in Ukraine and Russia offering the benefits of credit union membership.

"For over 40 years, credit union members have set aside a day to celebrate their history and philosophy," explained Ken Bixby, President/CEO of the Michigan Credit Union League. "On October 15, 1992, the Michigan Credit Union League joins credit unions around the world in celebration of International Credit Union Day, and the week of October 11-17 which surrounds it."

According to Bixby, this year's excellent loan rates, fast loan theme, "Credit Unions: A Universal Language," communicates that credit staff.

unions and the cooperative idea span the globe. This universal language of credit unions' — people not profits — renew the credit union's movement's is spoken in 85 nations. Eighty-six million members from 41,500 credit unions understand that credit unions work to improve the quality of their lives.

Credit unions are not-for-profit financial cooperatives, organized to meet the needs of their members rather than make profits for shareholders. Credit unions offer services and financial opportunities for consumers such as convenient savings plans, in Michigan.

Local Credit Union plans open house for October 12-16

On October 15, Northland Area Federal Credit Union, Oscoda and other surrounding communities will join 85 million people in a worldwide celebration — International Credit Union Day. Plus, more than 22,000 Northland Area Federal Credit Union members and employees will be commemorating the Credit Union's 35th year anniversary.

For more than 40 years, credit union members have set aside the third Thursday in October to celebrate the credit union difference — a philosophy of people helping people. This

philosophy distinguishes credit unions from other financial institutions.

Credit unions are a non-profit organization that helps improve the quality of life for other members. By using members' deposits Credit Unions can provide low interest rate loans for a first home, car or a college education. As this year's theme, "Credit Unions: A Universal Language" suggests, credit unions understand and address the needs of their members. Together, members and credit unions work to improve life in communities all over the world.

"On International Credit Union Day, our members and employees celebrate the economic freedom and financial opportunities that belonging to a credit union has provided them. Plus, this year we're celebrating our 35th year of providing quality financial products and service to the community," said Terrance Bigda, President of Northland Area Federal Credit Union.

To commemorate International Credit Union Day and their 35th year anniversary, Northland Area Federal Credit Union is holding an open house October 12-16.

Credit Unions offer low fees for customers

While credit unions balance philosophy with the problem of finding ways to underwrite the services they offer, members leave no doubt as to what's important to them: price. Members want low fees.

The number one reason members choose credit unions for their primary checking/share draft accounts is low service charges, according to the Credit Union National Association National Member Survey. Sixty-two percent of share draft users say that their credit union accounts are their primary accounts. And one-half of these members choose share drafts as their primary accounts because of reasonable or no service charges, the survey found.

The second most-cited reason for choosing a credit union for a primary account is convenience of location. Convenience also is important to bank customers. Consumers who have a primary account at a bank pick convenience over cost in determining where to place their primary checking accounts. The national survey found that while banks are perceived as more convenient, credit union's strengths are rates, low-cost service and caring for members.

Price also is a factor in getting people to open secondary accounts. More consumers today have multiple checking/share draft accounts. The survey shows that many members with primary accounts at the credit union probably have closed their old accounts at banks or savings and loans (S & Ls).

Some members, however, keep their primary accounts at banks — because of convenience. Even so, many have share draft accounts at credit unions as secondary accounts.

Those members can afford to keep multiple accounts because secondary accounts are inexpensive at credit unions.

Credit union members associate credit unions with good loan and saving rates, low fee structures, staff friendliness, and concern for members' well-being. Members associate banks with convenient locations.

Non-members answering the survey also agree that credit unions offer the best savings and loan rates. They strongly identify credit unions with statements: "has best loan rates" and "has best rate on savings."

Northland Area Federal Credit Union Is Celebrating

35 Years of Service & Credit Union Day

Today, you can join 22,000 Northland Area Federal Credit Union members in commemorating the Credit Union's 35th anniversary. And, at the same time join 86 million people in a worldwide celebration - International Credit Union Day.

Northland Area Federal Credit Union wishes to acknowledge and thank Grayling and the surrounding communities for allowing them to provide quality products and professional service for 35 years.

Stop by the Grayling Office of Northland Area Federal Credit Union and help employees celebrate 35 years of service and International Credit Union Day. Refreshments will be available.



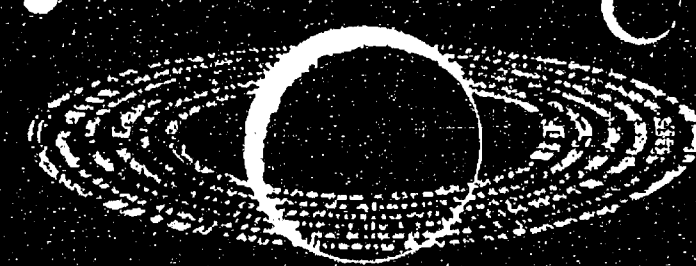
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Credit Unions: A Universal Language



1992 International Credit Union Day
October 15, 1992

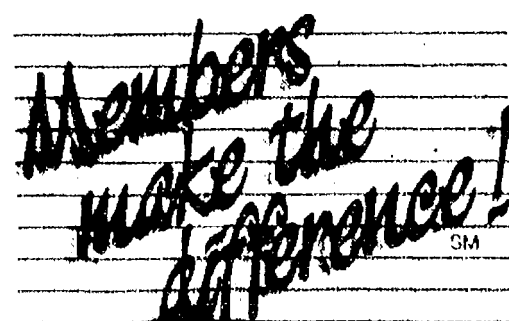
Need answers to your financial questions? Credit unions -- not-for-profit cooperatives -- speak a universal language understood by members all over the world.

Credit unions are different from other financial institutions. They are owned and operated by their members. When you're a credit union member, your voice -- and vote -- count.

Credit unions speak your language when it comes to loans for a car or a home, savings plans for college or retirement. The credit union philosophy of people helping people means you'll receive the service that you deserve.

Celebrate International Credit Union Day with North Central Area Credit Union on Thursday, October 15.

Enjoy coffee, cider, donuts, cookies, and good old fashioned service.



North Central Area Credit Union

International Credit Union Day -- October 15, 1992

October is National Restaurant Month



READY FOR CUSTOMER APPRECIATION DAY--The staff of Little Caesar's, Garry Smith, Tammy Canfield, Jean Kreiner, Beth Moore, Tom Bolick, Tammy Hale, and Valerie Elmy (left to right), is getting ready for the 2nd Customer Appreciation Day on October 19.

Great Dining Found Right In Grayling

The Little Caesars pizza restaurant, located on the I-75 business loop, has an excellent pizza selection for dine in or carry out any day. The restaurant's upcoming feature is Customer Appreciation Day. On Monday, October 19, the Grayling Little Caesars will thank its customers for 15 years of patronage locally with the bargain of two medium pizzas for only \$5.50.

Under new management Little Caesars will continue its fast convenient service. Open 11a.m. - 2 a.m. Friday and Saturdays, 11a.m. - 10 p.m. Sunday through Thursday to satisfy anyone's pizza craving.

Grayling Restaurant

"Home of the Lumber Jack Breakfast"



GOOD HOME COOKING

REMEMBER — OPEN EVENINGS TILL 8 P.M.

~ Thank You Grayling Day ~ Featuring These Specials

Lumberjack Breakfast or Farmer's Omelet	\$2.25
(6am-11am)	
Grilled Ham & Cheese Sandwich or Hamburger Deluxe	\$1.75
(11am-3pm)	
Perch Plate or (1) Liver & Onions	\$2.95
(3pm-8pm)	

— HOMEMADE SOUPS DAILY —

Monday-Saturday 6 am - 8 pm. — Sunday 6 am - 3 pm
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OFFICIAL NOTICE

DUE TO ELECTRICAL MALFUNCTIONS ON OUR ORIGINAL "CUSTOMER APPRECIATION DAY" (9/22/92) WE WERE UNABLE TO SERVE THE MANY CUSTOMERS ARRIVING AFTER 7:30 PM. IN ORDER TO BE SURE ALL OUR VALUED CUSTOMERS MAY PARTAKE OF THIS VALUABLE OFFER

"WE'RE DOING IT AGAIN"

ONE DAY ONLY...
Monday, October 19th

CUSTOMER APPRECIATION DAY II.
TWO MEDIUM PIZZAS \$5.50

No Substitutions, Additions, or Deletions.

Original Round, Regular Crust Only,

GRAYLING
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Little Caesars® Pizza! Pizza!

Two great pizzas! One low price! Always! Always!

VALUABLE COUPON



2 MEDIUM PIZZAS
One pizza with 8 select toppings for the adults.
One pizza with up to 8 toppings for the kids.

\$9.99
Plus Tax

YOUR CHOICE • ONE OF EACH • PIZZA! PIZZA!
Valid only on 10/19/92 at participating Little Caesars. 8 Select Pizza includes: Pepperoni, Mushroom, Onion, Ham, Sausage, Beef, Chicken, and Bacon. Excludes all other toppings. No substitutions or deletions. Expires: 11/30/92

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VALUABLE COUPON

CRAZY BREAD®

8 warm sticks of freshly baked bread brushed with garlic and topped with parmesan cheese.

99¢
Plus Tax

Please request Crazy Bread at time of order.
Valid only with coupon at participating Little Caesars.
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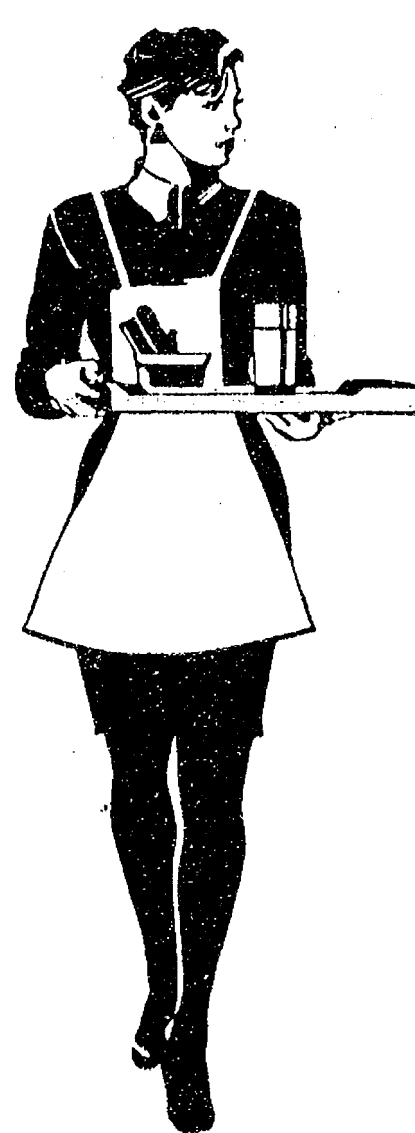
2 LARGE PIZZAS

HAM PEPPERONI
GREEN PEPPERS MUSHROOMS
BACON ONIONS
GROUND BEEF ITALIAN SAUSAGE

\$10.88
PLUS TAX

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The Grayling

Holiday Inn

Invites you to put on your costume and join us for a

Halloween Party

at the Speak Easy Saloon
Saturday, October 31st 9pm to 1:30 am

Live Entertainment

"Vicky & The Holding Company"

Costume Judging at Midnight

1st Prize: \$100 - 2nd Prize: \$50

3rd Prize: \$25 Gift

Certificate

Holiday Inn

2650 S. Business Loop I-75 • Grayling, Michigan
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Serving Food TH 2:00 am!

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All-U-Can Eat \$4.95

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with Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Vegetable, Roll & Salad

Sunday Brunch
Serving 10 am - 2:00 pm
Includes: Salad Bar & Fruit, Biscuits & Gravy, Eggs, Pancakes, French Toast, Potatoes, Sausage, Ham, Sauerkraut & Sausage, & Mostaccioli

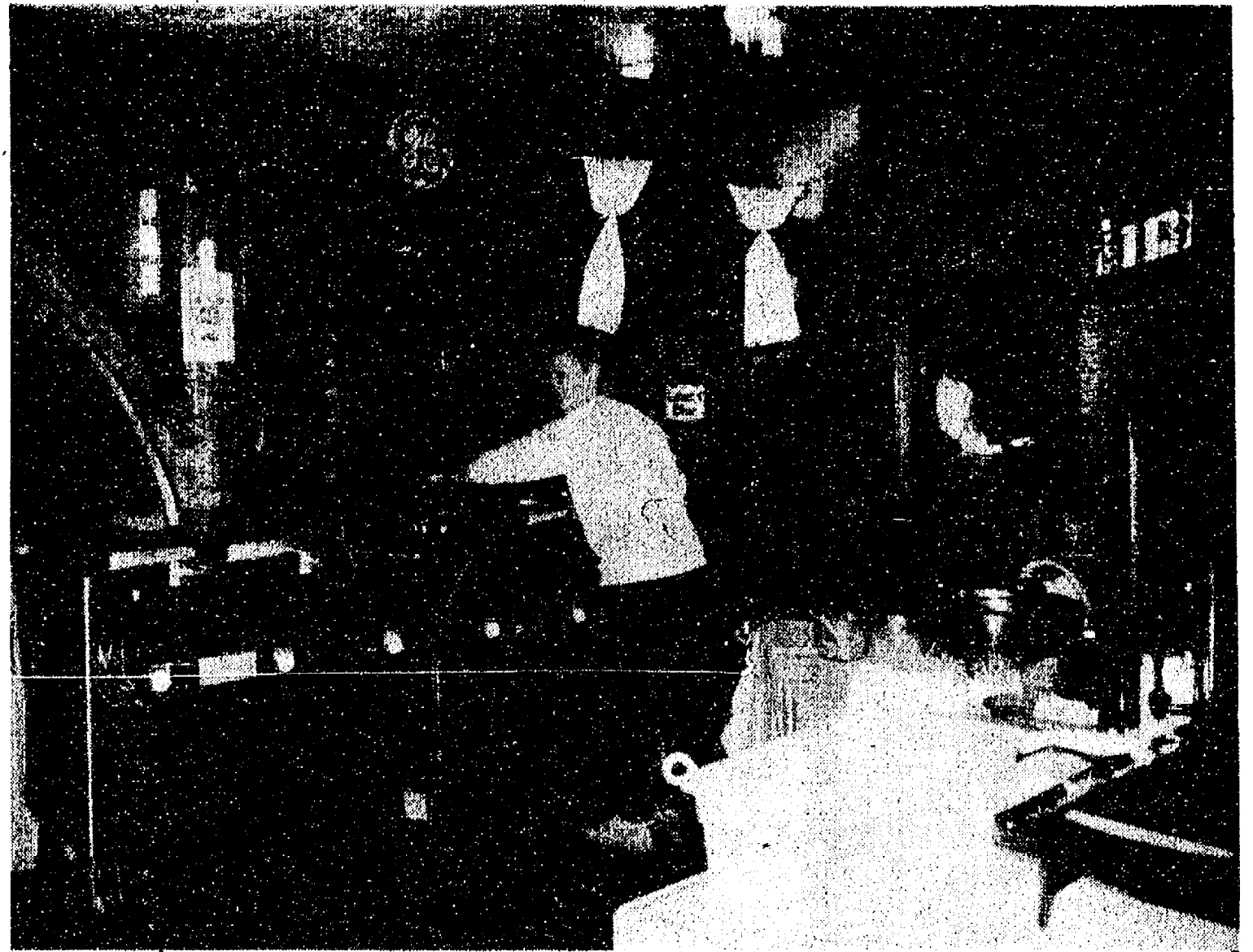
Coming Every Sunday - Euchre
2:30 pm Following Brunch

Halloween Party
Saturday, October 31st
Prizes Awarded For Best Costume

LIVE ENTERTAINMENT
Every Friday & Saturday



Open 10 am Mon. - Sunday
Located on East M-72 near Wakeley Bridge Rd., Grayling
348-7377



GOOD TIMES AT HARD TIMES--New Sunday brunches and dinners at the Hard Times Saloon are part of the improvements made by new owners Don and Diane Ewald.

Area offers unique places for dining

The new owners at the Hard Times Saloon, Don and Diane Ewald, are supplying good times for customers at this Grayling Saloon.

New Sunday chicken dinners and a Sunday brunch are only the start of new improvements on dining and entertainment.

Live entertainment on Friday and Saturday nights provide

weekend relaxation followed by fun, competitive euchre after brunch on Sundays.

In addition to these weekly events, the Hard Times Saloon celebrates Halloween on October 31, inviting all the ghosts and goblins out for a Halloween costume party. Prizes will be awarded for the best costume.

The Hard Times Saloon is located on M-72 and Wakely Bridge Road, open at 10 a.m. seven days a week.



What's big, fresh & fast?

New! **WEEKDAY BREAKFAST BAR** \$2.99

It's fast, convenient, and what a selection! Order the Big Boy Weekday Breakfast Bar and feast on all-you-can-eat scrambled eggs, crispy bacon, savory sausage, pancakes, potatoes, biscuits, cereal, cinnamon rolls, fresh fruits, and more.

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Chief Shoppenagons Motor Hotel

-Announcing Our- "yoag to Back" Sunday Feast

<p>All You Can Eat Sunday Brunch Buffet 11am-2:30 pm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Omelets Pancakes Honey Baked Ham Bacon Sausage Gravy & Biscuits Quiche Early Bird Delights <p>Includes - Fresh Fruit, Juices & our Bakery Corner</p> <p>\$6.25</p>	<p>All You Can Eat Sunday Family Buffet Starting at 2:30 pm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fried Chicken Apple Stuffed Pork Chops Veg. Lasagna B.B.Q. Ribs Potato Entrees Specialty Dishes <p>Includes - Salad Bar, Dessert Bar</p> <p>\$6.25</p>
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Children & Hearty Appetites Welcome
Coffee Shop open Sundays 6:30 am - 11 am
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GRAYLING'S Only Late Night Place To Eat

FISH FRY - \$4.95
ALL YOU CAN EAT - 4 TO 9 P.M.
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ALL FOOD AVAILABLE FOR TAKE-OUT UNTIL 1:30 A.M.

517/348-7113 UPTOWN GRAYLING



LIVING SCIENCE FOUNDATION--Frederic Elementary students in every classroom were able to touch parrots (top photo), turtles (bottom photo), snakes, giant frogs, and other animals brought to the school by the Living Science Foundation of Novi. The program cost \$675 for the entire day and was paid for by Glen's green slips collected at the school.



MOST HELPFUL STUDENTS--Pictured above are (left to right) Mandy Weaver, Nicole Larn, Alesha Wargo, Meghann Gerling, Shannon Plutko, Nicole Bonenfant, Shawn Gabriel, Christine Voelker, Allen Geiss, and Douglas Webb who received a certificate for being the "Most Helpful Student" from their room. This year they received, in addition to the certificate, an eagle pin and a bumper sticker that says, "My Child is a Winner at Frederic Elementary School." Missing from the picture is Kelly Dunkley.

Grayling Elementary

Our Bake Sale

On Thursday, September 24, Mrs. Rauch-Smuck's second grade class had a bake sale. It took place at the Grayling Elementary School in front of the library. It started at 11 a.m. and ended at 12:45 p.m. The money that we made is going to be given to the American Red Cross for the hurricane victims. With the help of our parents we brought in a lot of yummy stuff. We had a total of seven parents who came to help out. The kids also helped out by setting up, selling, and cleaning up. The bake sale was a huge success.

Grayling Middle School

The true story of the Three Billy Goats Gruff, told from the Troll's point of view. Mrs. Feldhauser's 5th grade.

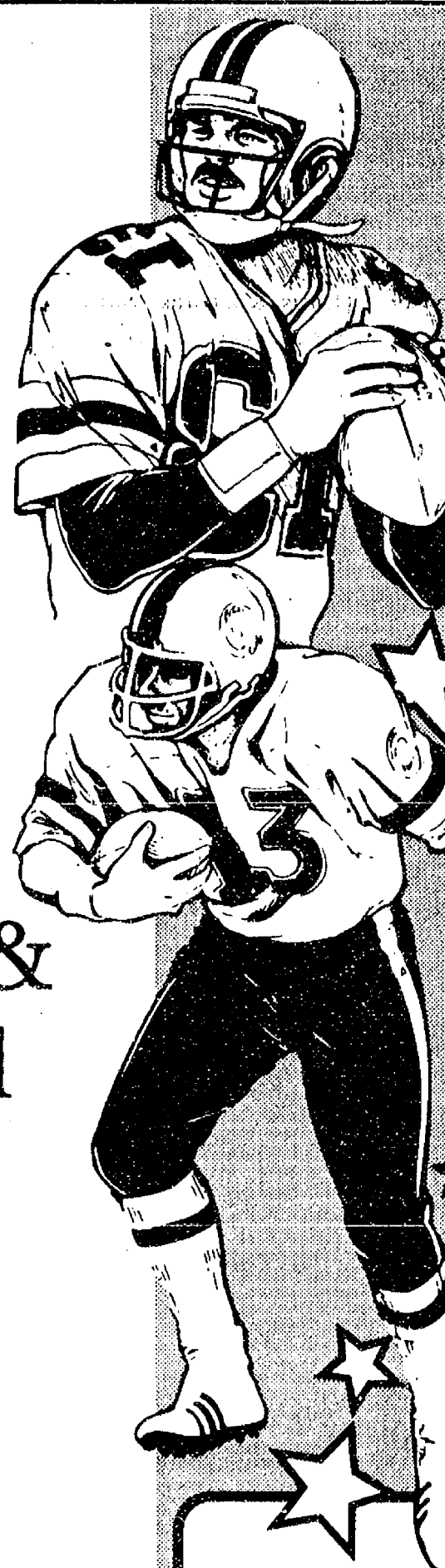
Jill Ryther

Don't listen to those darn old goats!!! Do you want to know what happened? Sit down, make yourself comfortable, and I'll tell you what really happened. Well, first of all there were these three billy goats, and let me tell you, were they ever mean! I came out to meet them one day, and do you know what they did? Just let me tell you. First, they said, "What do you want, Troll?" All I said was, "Hi. I heard about you guys and I think you sound real nice. So if you're going to be around, I

thought we could be friends. What do you think?" They said, "no, not with you, not now, not ever!!!" And with that, they pushed me off the bridge. It just so happens I broke my arm. Can you believe the nerve of those goats? I told you they were mean. But even so, since I'm such a nice guy, I thought maybe they might like a nice big pie filled with green grass and flowers, because goats like those kinds of things. I thought that maybe they might be a little nicer and friendlier. But no, not these goats! And after I worked so hard on getting all the stuff for it and making sure it was nice and fresh! I even made a special trip to get the flowers that I thought they would like. So the next day I gave it to them, and, of course, they didn't even say thank you. I said, "I hope you like it, and you're welcome very much." Once again, they pushed me off the bridge. My arm was just healing, but no, I had to break it again! So there I was in pain under the bridge, when all of a sudden I heard, bang! bang! bang! "Troll, get up here now." I had to struggle to my feet and walk out to see who it was. The little goat was there and he said, "You are a terrible cook, but I want to know where you got the grass and flowers. Tell me now!!!" he demanded. I told him, and again he pushed me off the bridge and ran to all the grass. Lucky for me, I didn't get hurt falling from the bridge. After awhile, I heard some more banging and yelling, so I went to see who it was. It was the middle-sized goat. He said, "Where's my brother? What did you do with him? I know he came this way." I told him to calm down and I told him where he went. Then, he pushed me off the bridge! This time I wasn't so lucky... I broke my leg, and then that goat ran off, too.

Then I heard the loudest banging and yelling I ever heard. I really had to struggle to get to him because of my broken leg. And when I did, I wished I never had! He yelled so loud that the little bit of hair I had left, flew back from the wind coming out of his mouth.

"Where are my brothers? I want them now!!!" I told him, and he pushed me so hard I didn't know what hit me. You'd think I'd be used to it by now! After my injuries were better, I moved away and made new friends, nicer friends. And that is the true story of the *Three Billy Goats Gruff*!



It's Time for the BIG KICKOFF

Best Wishes to the Students &
Staff of Grayling High School
For a Victorious
Homecoming 1992

Good Luck
"Vikings"

Against Whittemore

Homecoming Parade — Friday 5:15 p.m.

Game Time — Friday 7:30 p.m.

Homecoming Dance — Saturday 9 p.m.
Grayling High School

This Message Brought To You By The
Grayling Youth Booster Club

Mead benefit dinner set for Oct. 19

A benefit spaghetti dinner for the Rick Mead family will be held Monday, October 19, at Chief Shoppenagons Hotel from 4-8 p.m.

Mead passed away Sunday, September 27, and the family has the full burden of medical expenses.

Mead, owner of Golden Rule Printing, was involved in Jr. Pro basketball, Little League baseball, and sports at Grayling Middle School and Grayling High School.

Tickets for the dinner are \$6 for adults and \$3 for children younger than 12. Tickets are available from local banks, Mac's Drugs, Sylvester's, the Avalanche, and at the door.

Grayling ranked 7th in state after 28-6 win

Grayling climbed up a notch to 7th place in the state Class B rankings with a strong 28-6 win at Rogers City played in the rain, wind, and cold last Friday night. The Vikings, 6-0 overall, and 4-0 in the conference, also clinched a tie for the conference title. Grayling can repeat as conference champions this Friday with a win over Whittemore-Prescott during the GHS Homecoming game.

For the fifth time in six games, the Vikings took their opening possession and drove for a touchdown. Against Rogers City, Grayling went 77 yards in ten plays for the score. Jason Brigham had a 36-yard run during the drive. Another big play was a pass from Mike Kirmo to Steve Branch for 16 yards when Grayling faced a third down and seven situation at the Rogers City 49-yard line. Gary Schroyer scored the touchdown on a one-yard run when it was fourth down on the Rogers City's one-yard line. The extra point kick missed.

Grayling's defense stopped Rogers City on three plays, forcing them to punt. On this Viking possession, Rogers City picked off a pass on its 37-yard line. They drove down the field and scored on a 16-yard run by the quarterback. Grayling's Brent Kernstock blocked the extra-point kick to keep the score 6-6.

The Vikings started on their own 20 after the kick-off and didn't gain anything from the first two plays. On third down and ten, Grayling used a spread formation and Schroyer gained 19 yards on a quick trap for a first down. The Vikings drove down the field 80 yards using 13 plays to score. Schroyer

went in the end zone on a three-yard run. The kick missed again and Grayling led 12-6 with 9:49 to go in the second quarter.

Rogers City came back to drive to the Grayling 45 where they faced a fourth down and five. A screen pass was stopped by a hard tackle on the runner by Schroyer and Branch.

Grayling then went 57 yards on four plays with Brigham gaining 17 yards and 32 yards in two runs. Kirmo used the option play to go the final three yards for an 18-6 lead. A two-point conversion pass was dropped.

Rogers City got the ball back with 5:58 left in the half and drove to the Viking one-yard line where Branch and the middle of the defensive line stopped the runner as time ran out.

In the third quarter, Grayling went from its own 12 yard line in 13 plays to Rogers City's five-yard line. From there Jan Karlsvik kicked a 21-yard field goal for a 21-6 lead. The big play in that drive was a fourth down and inches situation Grayling faced at its 23-yard line.

"Rogers City was surprised we went for it but I felt we shouldn't be conference champions if we can't make a couple of inches," said Dave Larkin, Viking head football coach. "Our defense was also playing good so we went for it."

Schroyer made the yardage on a dive play and the Vikings kept rolling. On the next play, Kirmo threw a 39-yard pass to Eric LaForest.

"It really surprised Rogers City when we made the first down and then came out and passed on the first down," said Larkin. "It took the wind out of their

sails."

Grayling got the ball back right away after the field goal when defensive end Scott Gizinski intercepted a pass and ran it back 22 yards to the Rogers City's 19-yard line. The Vikings couldn't advance and lined up to try another field goal. The snap went high and Mike Kirmo, the holder, used the automatic pass play the team practices when the snap is not good to throw a 26-yard touchdown pass to Branch.

"It looked like a fake," said Larkin. "But we were going to try the field goal until the snap went high."

Karlsvik added the extra point for the final 28-6 score.

Brigham gained 124 yards on 12 carries, Schroyer had 79 yards on 21 carries, Kirmo rushed six times for 21 yards, Dennis Stocker ran three times for 12 yards, and Jeremy Bowers rushed four times for ten yards.

Kirmo threw 12 times and completed three for 81 yards. Larkin said Kirmo did a good job of putting the ball in the right place but the weather made it tough for the receiver to catch it. Chris Wolcott also completed one pass in his only attempt for 13 yards. Branch caught two passes for 43 yards, LaForest caught one for 39 yards, and Tim Donahoe caught one pass for 13 yards.

On defense, Branch again lead the team in tackles with 17. Schroyer, who reinjured his ankle in pregame warm-ups, had seven tackles.

The Vikings are expected to rank second in the region for play-off points. The top four teams qualify.



VARSITY CHEERLEADERS--Leading the Homecoming cheers this Friday when Grayling tries to keep its unbeaten streak alive will be varsity cheerleaders Katie Smock (front), (left to right) Coach Tina Hamilton, Laura Hamilton, Amy Kelley, Gretchen Dice, and Christa Northrop (back).

Vikings JVs beat Rogers City 22-14

Grayling's junior varsity beat Rogers City 22-14 in the rain October 9th at the GHS field to improve its season record to 4-2.

Sophomore quarterback Chris Jones ran in two touchdowns and freshman Chris Kucharek, who played both wide receiver and running back, ran for another touchdown.

Rogers City scored first to lead 6-0 in the first quarter. Jones' first touchdown run, on a quarterback sneak, tied the score 6-6.

Chris Kucharek put Grayling ahead in the second quarter scoring on a counter-trap play. He also pushed across the two-point conversion for a 14-6 halftime lead.

In the third quarter, Jones scored off a quarterback option and Steve Bugyi scored the extra points on a run.

Rogers City scored in the last minute and added two points to give Grayling a brief scare at the end.

"The team offense performed well with few errors in execution or turnovers," said Viking coach Chuck Spencer. "Chris Kucharek, Steve Bugyi, and Scott Baker ran well behind excellent line play. Quarterback Chris Jones executed the veer option well, allowing the offense to control the football."

"Our team was able to eliminate the costly turnovers we committed last game," said Viking coach Fred

Wolcott. "The offense moved the ball consistently for four quarters."

"We were very pleased with the hard hitting our team has had," said Spencer. "The best thing I can say about our hitting is that our opponents know they have been in a game."

The coaches said Justin Roy played a strong game in his first start at defensive half back. He made several key hits and had a pass interception. They also said Jason Secord and Andy Langowski had several crushing hits defensively.

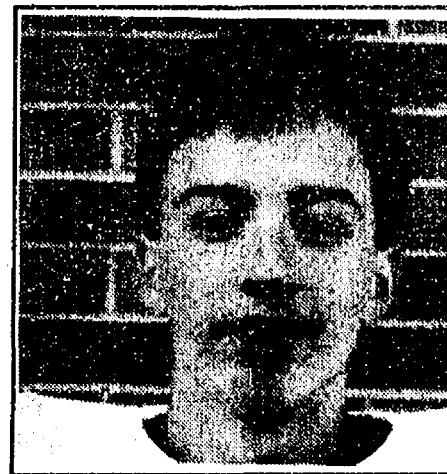
The junior varsity travels to Whittemore-Prescott this Thursday.

Bowling

Recreation League		Women's High Game: M. Miller, 210, N. Glasslee, 188, M. Rock, 184. Women's High Series: N. Glasslee, 529, M. Miller, 524, J. Hinds, 493.		Northwood League	
Glen's Market	13			Econo Cuts	16
Shel-Haven	13			Doc Deans	16
Cornell Real Estate	11			Graceful Grammas	11
Holiday Inn	10			Goodale's Bakery	10
Mickey Perez	10			Subway	8
Scheer Motors	9			Ben Franklin	7
Scars of Grayling	9			Bubbles Belles	6
Peterson Saw Service	5			McLeans Ace Hardware	6
High Game: A. Small, J. Potter, 187, M. Miller, 183, 176. High Series: M. Miller, 498, J. Potter, 492, L. Illig, 471.				High Game: T. Raybould, 201, V. Potter, 174, W. Jackson, 173. High Series: M. Miller, 493, T. Raybould, 478, L. Illig, 466.	
Pioneer League		Triangle League		Friday Night Mixed Doubles	
Chemical Bank	11.5-4.5	R & R Auto Sales	51-29	AJD	18-6
Millikins	10-6	Wolohan Lumber	49.5-30.5	Schreibers	15-9
F.O.E. Auxiliary	9-7	Ed's Team	45-35	Milltown Drywall	12-12
Avalanche	8-8	R & R Computers	43.5-36.5	Albies	11-13
Mercy Hospital	7.5-8.5	Milltown Feed	35-45	Moshiers	11-13
Aunt Betty's	6-10	Red Barn	16-64	K & D	10.5-13.5
Custom Interiors	5-11	High Game: L. Mahaffy, 202, T. McNicoll, 200, W. Mahaffy, 192. High Series: L. Mahaffy, 522, E. Malinowski, 518, T. McNicoll, 508.		Deb & Dale's	10.5-13.5
CCTA	5			Aunt Betty's	8-46
High Game: J. Hinds, 224, N. Glasslee, 185, A. Latusek, 182. High Series: J. Hinds, 536, J. Harland, 512, N. Glasslee, 483.				Men's High Game: Dick Lozon, 212, B. Trudeau, 181, Dale Lozon, N. Bancroft, 167. Men's High Series: Dick Lozon, 447, Dale Lozon, 443, R. Schreiber, 437.	
National 1st Division		Senior Citizen Bowling		Women's High Game: C. Moon, 190, K. Lozon, 187, K. Moshier, 169. Women's High Series: K. Moshier, 456, Y. Schreiber, 450, C. Moon, 449.	
Budweiser	15-5	Totten's	13-7		
Scars	15-5	Cornell's	13-7		
Carlisle Paddles	12-8	Weaver's	12-8		
Spikes Keg O' Nails	10-10	Sylvester's	9-11		
Georgia Pacific	9-11	Buccilli's	9-11		
Suttles	9-11	McLeans	8-12		
Frederic Inn	6-14	Larry & Joan's	8-12		
Northland Appliance	4-16	Flowers by Josie	8-12		
High Game: R. Anderson, 215, D. Canfield, 211, K. Best, 205. High Series: D. Canfield, 568, K. Best, 556, R. Anderson, 553.					
American 2nd Division		Men's High Game: G. Wolfe, 193, B. Burrick, 190, F. Krolkowski, 175. Men's High Series: B. Burrick, 502, G. Wolfe, 492, E. Wilde, 484. Women's High Game: D. Mead, 189, S. Webb, 152, R. Stimpson, 148. Women's High Series: D. Mead, 476, D. Burrick, 392, E. Halbert, 389.		Sunday Afternoon Fun League	
McLean's	14			Grayling Restaurant	15.5
Northland Appliance	14			Parsons	14
Skips	12			Helsels Forest	12.5
Hardee's	11.5			Carquest	10
Upper Lakes	11			Legion	9
Swamp II	9			Old Kent	7
American Legion	6.5			Spikes	6
Glen's	6			Lovells Hardware	6
High Game: M. Keir, 225, B. Lambert, 201, T. Devins, 201. High Series: M. Keir, 593, B. Lambert, 569, T. Devins, 541.				Women's High Game: L. Illig, 207, D. Royce, 190, C. Terry, 165. Women's High Series: L. Illig, 491, D. Royce, 468, S. Romain, 465.	
Sunday Nite Mixed Doubles		American First Division		Men's High Game: B. Wilson, 195, K. Lovely, S. Kirby, 184, J. Swanie, 183. Men's High Series: S. Kirby, 529, B. Wilson, 527, T. Messerschmidt, 516.	
Duey's	14-6	C. F. Fick & Sons	10		
Seawald Industries	13-7	Sylvesters	11		
Drakes	12-8	CSI	10		
All Seasons Drywall	11-9	Riverside Tavern	8		
Gray Rock Bombers	11-9	Barber Construction	8		
Down River Ace	8-12	Bear's Country Inn	7		
Custom Interiors	7-13	K of C	4		
R & R Auto Sales	4-16	John-Al Construction	1		
Men's High Game: W. Fedewa, 212, S. Miller, 191, R. Rakoczy, 183. Men's High Series: W. Fedewa, 528, S. Miller, 478, B. Woolsey, 473.					
American First Division		Thursday Coffee League		High Game: D. Buccilli, 210, C. Curtis, 185, S. Romain, 179. High Series: P. Pittman, 485, D. Buccilli, 481, S. Romain, 464.	
Sylvesters	11	Legion Lanes	19		
C. F. Fick & Sons	10	Old Dam	16		
CSI	10	The Mothers	14		
Riverside Tavern	8	Pitmans Rentals	13		
Barber Construction	8	AnSable	10		
Bear's Country Inn	7	W 2 Bookkeeping	9		
K of C	4	Lone Pine	9		
John-Al Construction	3	Dan's Dolls	6		
High Game: J. Robinson, 213, J. Stewart, 200, T. Messerschmidt, 191. High Series: T. Messerschmidt, 551, D. Kohnert, 536, B. Stefanik, 518.					

Grayling * Holiday Inn Football Players of the Week

Offensive



Jason Brigham

The senior running back rushed for 124 yards in 13 carries.

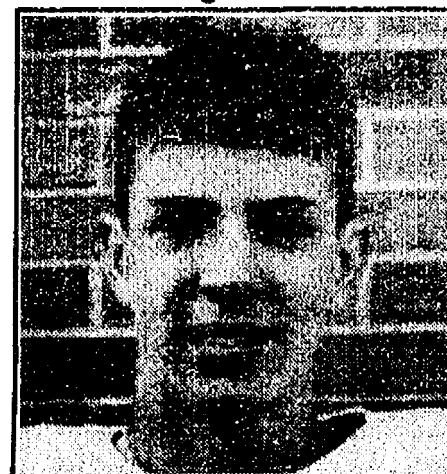
Defensive



Steve Branch

The senior linebacker led the team for sixth week with 17 tackles and stopped Rogers City quarterback on one-yard line.

Big Stick



Chris Wolcott

The junior safety was third leading tackler and several times made key hits on tight end.

Grayling Youth Booster Club Annual Installation of Officers Dinner Dance

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Grayling's defense too much for Petoskey in 38-32 win

Grayling's defense overwhelmed Petoskey and led the varsity girls to a 38-32 win last Saturday, October 10, at home.

The Vikings held Petoskey to only three points in both the first and second quarter for a halftime total of six points allowed.

"Our defense is definitely our strong suit," said Viking coach Howard Lehti. "Our pressing defense caused them problems. Nicole Parker had a couple of nice steals and break-away lay-ups in the fourth quarter to pull away from Petoskey. Heidi Craigie had a strong defensive game and Suzy Lovely and Jamie Andrus held their leading scorer

to 12 points. They took turns playing a box and one on her and they kept her off the boards and denied her the ball."

While the Vikings were stopping Petoskey in the first half, the Viking offense couldn't get untracked either and the result was a 6-6 tie at the half.

Grayling broke loose first and led 21-18 after three quarters.

"We did a nice job of moving the ball into a good offensive scoring position in the low post," said Lehti.

The Vikings survived turning the ball all over 28 times to win. Parker, Craigie, and Sarah Micek each scored six points. Elissa Cox and Andrus scored five each. Andrus scored all her points from the free throw line,

shooting five for eight. Amy Vandecar and Darcie McCurdy scored four each. Mande Micek added two points. Sarah Micek led the team with seven rebounds. Vandecar had three, Angie Mertes, McCurdy, Lovely, and Andrus had two each.

Craigie led the team with six steals. Parker had five steals, McCurdy three, and Mertes, Cox, and Lovely had two each. Vandecar and Craigie had two assists each.

ROGERS CITY GAME

Grayling again played excellent defense but their offense again let them down in a 42-32 loss to Rogers City at home October 8.

Sarah Micek had an outstanding

game with 11 points, 15 rebounds, one steal, and three assists.

Cox added six points, Parker scored five, Andrus three, Lovely, Vandecar, and Craigie two each, and McCurdy one. Vandecar and McCurdy each had seven rebounds, Lovely had five, Andrus four, Mertes, Parker, Craigie, and Cox had two each. Parker and Craigie had four steals each. Vandecar had two steals and Cox one.

"Sarah really had an exceptional night," said Lehti. "We need more balanced scoring. The offensive side of our game is really hurting us. We're getting good ball movement and taking good shots. They're just not falling."

Grayling shot 19 percent from the floor and six of 17 from the free throw line. The girls also had 25 turnovers. Grayling's defense kept it close for three quarters. After one quarter it was six to six and the Vikings led 16-

15 at the half. After three quarters, Rogers City led 26-22.

Grayling played at Elk Rapids Tuesday night, October 13. On Thursday, October 15, they play Onaway at home.

One bad quarter hurts JV girls in 40-31 loss

Grayling won three quarters of the game but let down in one quarter to lose 40-31 to Rogers City here October 8.

"The team played very well and was in control of the game except in the third quarter when Rogers City outscored us 20-4," said Viking coach Dallas Hudson.

Brooke Blaauw scored ten points and had 13 rebounds. Amy Neal had seven points and 11 rebounds. Nicole Wilcox scored six points, Lynne

Rochette five, Mandy McEvers two, and Trish Straw, one.

"We controlled the ball game offensively and defensively," said Hudson. "Our two post players got into foul trouble in the third quarter and had to sit out most of the quarter. When this happened, we stopped going to the basket on offense as a team. This put us down by 13 points and we made a good run at them in the fourth quarter but came up short. I'm very happy with the way the team is playing and the team's attitude overall."

Freshman girls win 4th in row

The Grayling freshman girls kept their winning streak alive with wins over Harrison and Kalkaska last week.

The Vikings won their fourth in a row October 7th with a 43-27 victory over Harrison at the GHS gym.

Coach Mark Hartman said the team used solid defense and balanced scoring to win.

Jenny Wilkins led the team in scoring with 12 points. Jennifer Richards had seven points, Stacie Mead six, Monica Lawrence and Sarah Amman had four each, Jennifer Wallace three, Sarah Medler, Jessica Wyss, Trisha Ormsbee, Jamie Evans, and Nicole Rice each had two.

"The girls started out a little sluggish the first half, but they came out the second half with some good passing and good defense," said Hartman.

"I thought the girls played real well, especially looking for the open player—that's why we had such balanced scoring."

KALKASKA VICTORY

Grayling shut down Kalkaska 37-19 on October 5th in the GHS gym.

Mead led the scoring with ten points. Lawrence had seven points, Wyss five, Wilkins four, Sarah Amman three, Medler, Ormsbee, Evans, and Richardson had two each.

"The girls played real well on offense with some good passing and shooting," said Hartman. "On defense they held Kalkaska to only 19 points with good hustle and rebounding."

Grayling plays Alcona Wednesday, October 28, at home and hosts Lincoln-Alcona Thursday, October 29.

8th grade loses 23-12

The 8th grade girls B team played their best half of a game against Cheboygan but wound up losing 23-12 there on Wednesday, October 7.

"In the first half, we played our usual lackluster game," said Viking coach John Smock. "In the second half, the team performed well, both offensively and defensively. They would have won the game if the girls would have played the first half like they did the second."

Smock said center Angie Floriano played her best game of the year leading the team in scoring with five points while adding six steals and two blocked

shots. Forward Jamie Secord led the team with 13 rebounds. Erin Patrick, Jaymie Brannon, and Secord all scored two points each. Jessica St. Germain scored one point. Heather Curtis, Jenny Ohsowski, and Rachel Porter played a strong defensive game, said Smock.

"The second half of this game is without a doubt the best this team has played all season. If they played the whole game like that, we would win the rest of our games. If the girls would give 100 percent effort all the time, I would be very happy."

The B team will travel to Boyne City Wednesday, October 14, for their next game.

7th grade teams lose one, win one

Grayling's 7th grade girls A team ran into a whirlwind at Gaylord Monday, October 5, losing 40-15.

Gaylord's press turned the first quarter into a 17-0 lead.

"The team went into this game with the understanding we were facing a superior shooting team that would apply a hard press," said Viking coach Harold Mertes. "Our objectives were to break the press, control the defensive board, and reduce the number of team turnovers."

Mertes said the team wasn't able to implement its game plan in the first quarter blow-out.

"Starting the second quarter, the true character of the team became evident," he said. "The press was broken and the rest of the game was implemented."

He said the girls did a nice job of turning the first quarter disaster around and holding the high-powered Gaylord offense to only 23 points for the remaining three quarters. Mertes said that achievement was the team's biggest victory to date.

Nicole Craigie scored her first basket of the year in the game and Mertes said she played outstanding defense.

The A team played Roscommon Monday, October 12, and then faces Gaylord at home Monday, October 19.

7TH GRADE B TEAM

The 7th grade girls B team added another victory to their season Wednesday, October 7, winning at Cheboygan 18-15.

"The girls were aggressive from start to finish," said Viking coach Daniel St. Amour. "All girls played with a team concept."

Amy Martella led the team in scoring with six points and also led in rebounding. Nicki Osga scored four points and led the team in steals. Melanie Wakefield had four points and Heather Mead added two points.

"The Cheboygan team beat us by ten points the first time around," said St. Amour. "We worked on key things in practice to prepare for this game such as rebounding and scoring points. The girls executed a beautiful zone trap press that helped win the game."

"This was the biggest win yet," she said. "The girls looked polished and prepared. I was proud of each and every one."

The B team played Roscommon at home Monday and plays at Boyne City Wednesday.

Junior Basketball

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3-4 Grade	
AuSable Woodworking Hawks	5-0
Crawford AuSable Comm. Ed. Celtics	3-2
Glen's Market Spartans	2-3
Mac's Drugs Mustangs	0-5
5-6 Grade	
John Hunter's Pions	5-0
Laurines Wolverines	3-2
DuBois Lumber Knicks	3-2
Holiday Inn Hornets	2-3
Scheer Motors Timberwolves	2-3
Weyerhaeuser Pacers	0-5

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Don't get too discouraged if you haven't won yet. We have more than half the season left. So keep trying. If you don't turn your picks in one week, that will probably be the week you have all the games right. (We've heard this a dozen times -- "I would have won but I forgot to turn my picks in.")

We'll publish a list of all the weekly players in the overall contest next week. The top ten this

week: Paul Hartman, 84; David Petrie, 83; Linda Munsey, 83; John Meredith, 83; David Bendig & Son, 83; Edward Moggo, 82; Julie Gates, 82; Leon D'Amour, 82; Kenneth Polley, 81; Joseph Goniea, 81; Chris Golinick, 81; Mary Ann Blair, 81.

Last week's winners

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| 1. U of M | 10. Houston |
| 2. Miami | 11. N.Y. Giants |
| 3. Appalachian State | 12. Cleveland |
| 4. Washington | 13. Dallas |
| 5. Notre Dame | 14. L.A. Raiders |
| 6. Miami, Ohio | 15. Indianapolis |
| 7. Florida | 16. New Orleans |
| 8. Miami | 17. Kansas City |
| 9. San Francisco | 18. Washington |

Here's how to be a weekly winner:

1. Write your prediction for game one on entry form.
2. Write the advertiser's name on entry form for game one. All the advertisers must be included.
3. Fill out rest of entry form this way including your two tie-breaker predictions (total points scored by both teams).
4. Return the entry form by 5 p.m. Friday to the Avalanche. Mail slot in our door may be used Wednesday or Thursday night after 5 p.m. and before 9 a.m. Mail entries must be postmarked Friday or earlier. No late entries accepted. No exceptions.
5. The person with the most correct picks wins all the weekly prizes listed.

Here's how to win the overall prizes:

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2. You don't have to enter each week to be eligible to win but if you play each week, you'll have more chances to win points.
3. The person with the most points at the end of the 17-week contest will win all the overall prizes.

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- *\$25 gift certificate from DuBois Lumber
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Game 9
Game 10
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Game 12
Game 13
Game 14
Game 15
Game 16
Game 17
Game 18

Tiebreaker 1 (total points scored in game 1)

Tiebreaker 2 (total points scored in game 18)

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Why do we let ourselves get tied down
Why can't we be free to roam at will
So wrapped up in the small circle of our life
That we never see beyond that distant hill

We have to be out there on the job
For we have to earn our pay
To keep up with the Jones's
In this crazy world of today

We're trapped by conditions and conventions
Or by the long arm of the law
Into a life that follows other's rules
Can only dream of those things we never saw

We spend our lives punching the clock
Being where others expect us to be
Under the watchful eyes of others
Who make sure we're never free

Like the great giant in Gulliver's Travels' tale
Our dreams are tied tightly to the ground
By little threads and tiny people
And there's no freedom to be found

Why can't we break down those walls that surround us
Or do we need those walls to feel secure
I have often asked myself that question
And of the answer I was never sure

I guess I'll never really find the answer
But maybe the dear Lord up above
Smiles as he sees us fight our lives away
Against those tiny strings called love

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Your Horoscope

Your Week Ahead Horoscope

Forecast Period: Oct. 18-24

- ARIES**
Mar. 21-Apr. 19
Depletion of funds is due to shortsightedness on your part. It may be hard but necessary to say "no".
- TAURUS**
Apr. 20-May 20
A service oriented attitude will allow you to achieve long term goals. Remember to include yourself in the service.
- GEMINI**
May 21-June 20
You seem to have a handle on your priorities. Don't allow others to mix you up again.
- CANCER**
June 21-July 22
Special interests deserve more of your attention. A liberal attitude will win over enemies.
- LEO**
July 23-Aug. 22
Give in to your wildest desires. Run barefoot in the rain or bungee jump off a bridge-whatever it is, enjoy!
- VIRGO**
Aug. 23-Sept. 22
Give love more time. Anything good cannot be rushed. Young person can provide answer to old question.
- LIBRA**
Sept. 23-Oct. 22
Finances cause difficulties. Don't be afraid to step into uncharted territory. You are on the way up.
- SCORPIO**
Oct. 23-Nov. 21
Information told in confidence should remain secret. Take care not to let the cat out of the bag.
- SAGITTARIUS**
Nov. 22-Dec. 21
While your emotions may be held captive, your mind can work to your advantage if you let it. Stay calm.
- CAPRICORN**
Dec. 22-Jan. 19
A newcomer needs your guidance. Your share of the work could be distributed if you look in the right direction.
- AQUARIUS**
Jan. 20-Feb. 18
One on one you are above the rest but in groups you need more confidence. Give yourself a pep talk.
- PISCES**
Feb. 19-Mar. 20
Postpone any current trips or vacations. You may be forced to compromise more than you expected.

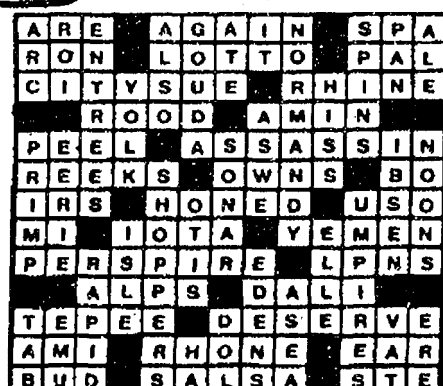
Weekend Crossword

ACROSS

1. Part of "to be"
4. Anew
9. Spring
12. Actor Howard
13. Game of chance
14. Chum
15. "Sloux" (2 wds)
17. German river
19. Cross
20. Ugandan dictator
21. Pare
23. Killer
27. Smokes
29. Has
30. Body odor
31. Tax agency
32. Sharpened
34. Service rec center
35. Do, re, _
36. Small amount
37. South of Saudi Arabia
39. Sweat
42. RNs relatives
43. High peaks
44. Salvador _
46. Indian home
48. Earn
51. French friend
52. Swiss river
54. Cup handle
55. Sprout
56. Sauce (Sp.)
57. Sainte (abbr.)

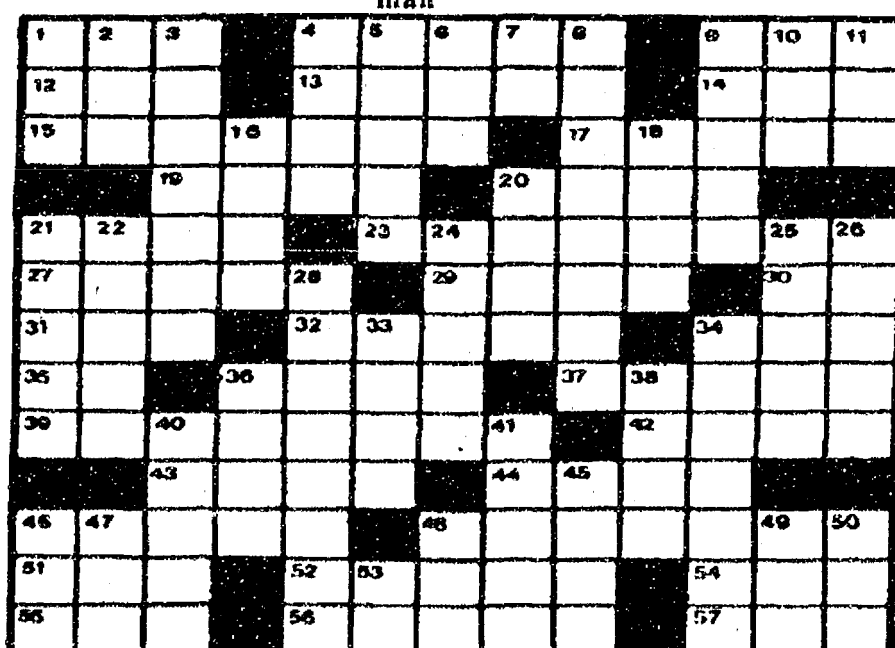
WEEKEND CROSSWORD

THIS WEEK'S PUZZLE ANSWER



DOWN

1. Bow
2. Louis XV, e.g.
3. Menu sections
4. Too
5. Dutch cheese
6. Consumed
7. Pronoun
8. No. France region
9. Turns
10. "Peter _"
11. Bar order
16. Egg center
18. Boo
20. " _ go marching on" (2 wds.)
21. Groom
22. Weird
24. Sub apparatus
25. Norwegian playwright
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A Look At Our Past from the pages of the Avalanche



HOMEcoming ROYALTY — Vern Hartman, Vikings star end, and Miss Debbie Niederer, cheerleader were named king and queen to reign over the 1969 Grayling High School Homecoming held last weekend. (Photo by Kipp)

23 years ago October 16, 1969

There was joy in Vikingland last weekend, as the skies cleared long enough for the high school to have their impressive homecoming parade. Friday afternoon, and the Viking grid-ders completing a successful evening with a 26-2 romp over East Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Adkins of Grayling are the parents of a daughter, Karen Elizabeth born on October 12. The young lady weighed 6 lbs., 13 3/4 ozs.

Old Glory, that once flew over the Nation's Capitol in Washington D. C., now has its place over the new county building. The flag raising preceded the dedication last Saturday as members of the Michigan National Guard stationed at Grayling, Grayling Post 106, Legion and Auxiliary members formed an honor guard. The flag was presented to the county by Congressman Elford A. Cederberg.

Jim Kitchen celebrated his birthday on Friday with a family dinner party being held.

Mrs. Donna (Fenton) Wedge flew home from Valdosta, GA, to spend some time with her mother while her father, Elmer Fenton is in the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wedge picked her up at the airport Monday evening of last week. Mrs. Nancy Renaud also flew home from California to stay with her mother, Mrs. Elmer Fenton. Carol Fenton is also home for the weekend to be with her mother and father.

The junior class entry in the float contest was picked as the first place winner during the parade downtown last Friday afternoon during Homecoming weekend.

CS-3 David L. Englund was home recently for a few days after being transferred from the battleship, New Jersey, to the U.S.S. Mansfield (DD728). He left on September 26 for his second tour of duty in Vietnam.

The water tower in the city park is

undergoing a complete face lift with sand blasting of both the exterior and interior of the tower plus being painted.

The new color scheme will be forest green with white lettering to depict the high school colors.

City Manager William Valusek stated the job would probably take about two weeks and cautions residents and visitors to park a safe distance from the tower while the painting is being done. Painting of the tower is expected to take place during the week of October 19-25.

Despite cold, dreary, and wet weather 54 young future football players braved the weather to participate in the 4th annual punt, pass and kick competition sponsored jointly by the Grayling Area Jaycees and Bill Hart Ford Dealer.

This years chairman Mike Ingalls stated "That the competition went better than ever with the help of eight boys from Camp LaVictor. The first place winners of each age group will be competing in the area tournament in the next few weeks. The winners of the various age groups were: 8 year olds, 1st, Jeff Parkinson, 2nd, Rocky Tobin, 3rd, Jay Smith; 9 year olds, 1st, Cliff Wheeler, 2nd, Gary Hoag, 3rd, Ricky Lott; 10 year olds, 1st, Scott Fick, 2nd, Scott Hanson, 3rd, Lincoln Swift; 11 year olds, 1st, Dan Brady, 2nd, Alan Johnston, 3rd, Larry Baynam; 12 year olds, 1st, Kenneth Huber, 2nd, Douglas Hinkle, 3rd, John Tobin; 13 year olds, 1st, Chris Duncleley, 2nd, Michael Hoffman, 3rd, Danny McClain.

46 years ago October 17, 1969

The Bennett Service Shop, owned and operated by Lyle Bennett, has moved from its former quarters on Cedar Street near M-72 to the old bakery building on Cedar Street just off Michigan Ave.

Around 125 people were on hand last Wednesday evening to welcome

the new pastor, Rev. R. C. Puffer, and his family. He was called upon to come to Grayling as one of the supply ministers, after the death of Rev. Ernest Benedict in February.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold MacNeven spent the weekend in East Lansing visiting their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Frymire, and attended the Michigan State and U. of Mississippi football game on Saturday.

The C. S. Barbers had as their guests the past weekend Mrs. Esther Downer of Pontiac, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Homer of Detroit. The ladies are daughters of the Barbers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Stillwagon and Mr. Vance all of Plymouth spent a few days at their home down river. Jeanine remained with a friend in Plymouth during their absence.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Stillwagon and Mrs. Ruth Caid drove to Ludington Saturday to meet Mrs. Ann Clark who returned home after spending a couple months visiting relatives in Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Small Jr. of Freeport, Ill., announce the arrival of a son, Terry Lee Small born Oct. 6. The little fellow weighed 8 pounds at birth.

The Clarence Roberts family are now occupying the McCullough house on Peninsular Street.

A long distance phone call from Wyoming last Friday night by Roy Trudgeon to Mrs. Trudgeon revealed that Roy had bagged his elk while hunting there with a party of friends.

Mrs. Leslie Hunter and Mrs. Matilda Hunter spent Friday and Saturday in Saginaw.

Miss Beverly Stephan and Mrs. Jack Dibble expect to leave Sunday for Colorado and plan to be gone until Christmas.

Mrs. Herbert Stephan spent the weekend in Detroit. Her little niece, Joan Krome, had spent the month here and Mrs. Stephan returned her to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Krome.

Elmer Birdsall left for Detroit Sunday evening after spending several weeks at Lake Margrethe.

The Willard Cornells, R. A. VanVlecks, Leonard Allison and Eugene Lawler attended the Army-University of Michigan football game in Ann Arbor, Saturday. They were joined in Detroit by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bernard of Drayton Plains.

Mrs. Lawler and little daughter, Suzan stopped off in Saginaw to visit her parents, returning home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Gross accompanied the Joseph Freemans home Monday to enjoy the bird hunting near Gagetown.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kinkert of Lansing spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Schaible, at the Military Reservation. The Schaibles have left to spend the week in Chicago and will be accompanied home by their son, George Jr., who will receive his discharge Oct. 16.

Jack McMillan and Rolla Failing enjoyed the pheasant hunting down state.

Eugene Papendick and boys,

Clarence, Kip, and Vic, Leo Lovely and Jack Papendick spent several days the first of the week hunting near Ashley.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Babbitt and son, of Flint, are visiting his mother, Mrs. Howard Bunker.

Wesley Kumpula, Arthur Clough and Robert Strong are spending today at the annual EMTA meeting in Bay City. Emil Giegling and Charles Moore are to attend the annual banquet tonight.

Miss Velma Ferguson of Petoskey was at the Stanley Hummel home Wednesday afternoon and spent the night.

Roy Wayne Lovely treated his classmates in the kindergarten to ice cream and cake on Tuesday, in celebration of his fifth birthday. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lovely.

Mrs. Hugh Ryan and Mrs. Otis Weaver were callers in Grayling last Wednesday. Mrs. Ryan and children who have been living in Midland have moved back to Frederic and are occupying part of the Higgins house.

Mrs. Richard Lovely entertained nine boys and four girls recently in celebration of the 8th birthday of her son, Bob.

69 years ago October 18, 1923

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Otto Neilson, Saturday, Oct. 13.

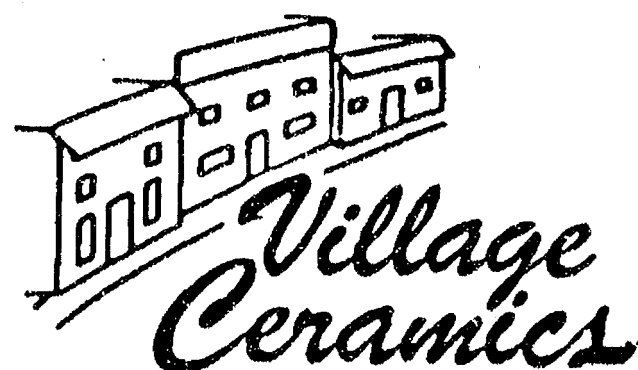
Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Cooley have rented the home of Mrs. Rose Joseph on Peninsular Ave. and moved in last week.

Several friends of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Malone of Roscommon went to their home Tuesday evening of last week to help them celebrate their fifth wedding anniversary. Their going was a surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Letzkus have rented their home to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Crane for the winter and left Wednesday for Los Angeles, Calif., going with Vinceno Grandjean who also expects to spend the winter in the West. The party went by motor. Mr. and Mrs. Letzkus will visit the latter's brother and family, Frank Shanahan who reside in California.

A large number attended a special meeting of Masonic Lodge last week Thursday night to witness the initiation of four candidates in the third degree — Phillip Quigley, William Evens and Carlton Wythe of Grayling and Arthur Armstrong of Frederic. Dinner was served at 10. Everything was most appetizing due to the fine cooking of William McNela and Louis Mead. Senior Warden John Bruun acting as master of ceremonies enveigled short talks out of each of the members and a number of interesting and amusing stories were told.

Wednesday evening witnessed a scene of festivity and cheer at the splendid farm home of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Feldhauser in Maple Forest when all the supervisors and county officers gathered there.



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The Bible Speaks

From The
Calvary Baptist Church

Is Hell Appealing?

All of us have heard people say they want to go to Hell because all their friends will be there. You may have friends who will die and go to Hell, but you will experience no friendship or fellowship in Hell with them. Jesus tells of a rich man who died and went to Hell. In Luke 16:28, the rich man asked that his five brothers be warned so they would not come to that place of torment. Your friends in Hell have no desire for you to be there with them. "... The way of transgressors [is] hard." (PRO 13:15b). Some people who live a hard life believe they have experienced their Hell upon earth. They assume death can bring them into nothing worse. Suicide is often chosen as an escape from their loss of control in their daily life. Hell in that sense becomes appealing to them. However, they have no Bible concept of Hell. To assume Hell will be better than life on earth is a totally illogical, unreasonable, and deceptive form of thinking. It is like jumping out of the proverbial frying pan into the fire.

Hell is the choice of worldly lust, pride, and greed. "Yea also, because he transgresseth by wine, [he is] a proud man, neither keepeth at home, who enlargeth his desire as hell, and [is] as death, and cannot be satisfied, but gathereth unto him all nations, and heapeth unto him all people." (HAB 2:5). Jesus described the road to Hell as the popular or broad way which the majority chooses. "Enter ye in at the strait gate: for wide [is] the gate, and broad [is] the way, that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereat:" (MAT 7:13). The pleasure of sin is deceiving to the masses. That is why Moses chose "... to suffer affliction with the people of God, than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a season." (HEB 11:25). "For what is a man profited, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul? or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul?" (MAT 16:26).

My friend, there is no appeal to Hell. It is not a second life, but a second death. "But the fearful, and unbelieving, and the abominable, and murderers, and whoremongers, and

sorcerers, and idolaters, and all liars, shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone: which is the second death." (REV 21:8).

"Say unto them, [As] I live, saith the Lord GOD, I have no pleasure in the death of the wicked; but that the wicked turn from his way and live: turn ye, turn ye from your evil ways; for why will ye die? ..." (EZE 33:11). "Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me." (JOH 14:6).

Pastor "B"

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Auditions set for Michelson's musical performance

This year, instead of presenting the traditional Christmas Cantata as they have in the past, Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church has elected to present the musical production, "Child of Love." As in a cantata, the nucleus of this production is a choir. Anyone in the community who is interested in singing in the choir for the production of "Child of Love" is cordially invited to do so. Rehearsals will begin at 8 p.m. on Wednesday, October 21, at Michelson United Methodist Church.

In addition to the choir, "Child of Love" utilizes 14 on-stage actors and soloists. These roles are open to anyone in the community who is interested in participating. Auditions for the on-stage roles will be held at 7 p.m. on Thursday, October 22, and again at 7 p.m. on Monday evening, October 26. Auditions will be held at Michelson United Methodist Church also. Persons interested in auditioning for parts can obtain a synopsis of characters by calling the church offices or H. T. Productions at 348-5187.

Win-Some Women's Retreat features speakers, musical trio

The 21st Annual Win-Some Women's Retreat will be held at Boyne Mountain Lodge, Boyne Falls, Friday and Saturday, November 6 and 7. The featured guest speakers will be Ellen de Krom Stamps and Mini Jane Johnston.

Ellen de Krom Stamps, Dutch-born and reared, is an international speaker, author and traveler.

The second guest speaker is Mini Jane Johnston who is an internationally known speaker and seminar leader

serving as a national representative with Stonecroft Ministries, a unique outreach movement for homemakers, and men and women in the business and professional community.

Living Truth, a trio from Caro, will be the special music at the retreat this year. They sing songs of praise to God but they are best known for their instruments.

For more information and brochures please call Marilyn Fick of Grayling, 348-8642.

Range Firing

Range firing will be conducted at Camp Grayling in the following areas:

The Small Arms ranges located west of Lake Margrethe, north of Howe Road, east of the gas pipeline, and south of Portage Creek. Firing will begin on October 16 and cease on October 18.

The Small Arms ranges located at Arrowhead Road in Kalkaska County. Firing will begin on October 16 and cease on October 18.

Range 30 Complex located north of North Down River Road, east of Jones Lake Road, south of County Road 612, and west of Damon Truck Trail. Firing will begin on October 14 and cease on October 21.

The Range 40 Complex, Air to Ground,

located north of County Rd. 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd. 618, and west of County Rd. F97 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will be from October 14 through October 21.

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Rt. 4 Box 4103-C, Grayling, MI 49738
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Church Directory



Sunday Matthew 19:1-20	Wednesday 1 Corinthians 14:1-25
Monday 1 Timothy 3:14-4:16	Thursday Proverbs 4:1-27
Tuesday Habakkuk 2:1-14	Friday Hosea 4:1-11

Saturday
Ephesians
3:1-21



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If we could only perform each act and utter each word as if they were our last, those by which we would be remembered, then how great would be the significance of our names!

In this confused era, where better can we turn for guidance and help than to our church or synagogue? Here you will discover God and His Word—the most hallowed name of all. Seek Him in His house this week.

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Rev. Jim Wright
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wed. Prayer & Bible Study 7 p.m.

Christ Missionary
Minister H.A. Hennig
4 Mi. East of Frederic
County Rd. 612
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Worship & Praise 11 a.m.
Sun. Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wed. Prayer, Bible Study 6 p.m.

Christian Science Society
209 First St. - Suite 103 - Gaylord
Sunday Service 10:30 a.m.
April through October
2nd Wednesday 8 p.m.

Michelson Memorial
United Methodist Church
Minister Dr. Dennis N. Paulson
400 Michigan Ave.
Church School 9:40-10:40 a.m.
Sunday Worship 8:30 & 11 a.m.
Bible Study (Wed.) 10 a.m.
Children's Choir (Wed.) 3:15 p.m.
Senior Choir (Thurs.) 7 p.m.

Seventh Day Adventist
Pastor David Stramel
Phone 348-4445
Services held Saturday at Camp AuSable in 1st building on the right off new entrance road.
Church Service 9:30 a.m.
Sabbath School 10:30 a.m.
Prayer Meeting Tues 7 p.m.

Grayling Assembly of God
Rev. Ron Voelker, Pastor
Old 27 North, 701 Grayling Rd.
Church - 348-8885
Parsonage 348-2588

Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday - Family Night
Adult-Youth-Children Sessions 7 p.m.

Christian Science Society
Zone 11, 106 James St. - Houghton Lake
Sunday Ser. & Sunday School 11 a.m.
1st Wednesday (April-Oct.) 7:30 p.m.

Heritage Baptist
Pastor Jim Van Lier 348-7699
1841 Hatwick Pine Rd.
1/4 mile west of I-75
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.

St. John Evangelical
Lutheran (ELCA)
Rev. Michael Kemper
710 Spruce St. - Phone 348-5224
Summer Schedule May 26-Sept. 1
Worship 10:30 a.m.
Choir Rehearsal (Tue.) 7 p.m.
No Choir In July

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Of Jesus Christ
Of Latter Day Saints
Pastor Lacey Stephan, Jr.
Corner of North Down River Rd.
and South Millikin Rd.
Church School 9:45 a.m.
Preschool 11 a.m.
Midweek Service Prayer 7 p.m.

Gaylord Christian Reformed
Rev. V. Schaap
415 Ohio North
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

St. Mary's Catholic Church
Fr. Michael Conner - 348-7291
702 Peninsular - 348-7657

Saturday 5 p.m.
Sunday 9 & 11 a.m.
Weekday Mass
Tuesday 8 a.m.
Wednesday 10 a.m.
Thursday 8 a.m.
Friday 8 a.m.
Confession Saturday 4 p.m.

Calvary Assembly of God
Rev. Lawrence Cook
250 Lake St. - Roscommon - 275-5309
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Family Night 7 p.m.

Lovells Chapel
Pastor Gary Hopp
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Chapel Service 11 a.m.

Calvary Baptist Church
Dr. Robert Barnett, Pastor
M-72 West
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Mid-Week Services
Prayer & Awana Club (Wed) 7 p.m.

Church of Christ
Gordon French Minister
Old US 27 at Skyline Rd.
348-8573

Sunday School 10:15 a.m.
Communion & Preaching 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday
Mid-week Bible Study 7 p.m.

Bear Lake Christian
M-72 & East Bear Lake Rd.
Sunday School 9 a.m.
Sunday Service 10 a.m.

The Church of Christ
with the Eliza Message
Pastor Dohn E. Weaver
7662 Kelly Ave. - Frederic
Sunday Worship 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 7 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 7 p.m.

Abundant Life Tabernacle
Pastor Don Brigham
211 Shellenberger St.
Grayling, Mich.
Sunday Morning 10 a.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

Grayling Baptist Church
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Pastor, David Mossman
Meeting at 501 Michigan Avenue
(517) 348-2557

Sunday Bible Study 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

AuSable Valley Church Of God
6330 Johnson - Frederic
Sunday School 10:15 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 7 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service 7 p.m.
Poduck Fellowship 2nd Sunday each month after morning service.

Free Methodist
Joseph Carpenter - Pastor
6652 W. Kalkaska Rd.
(M-72 West) Phone 348-5362
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Service 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Prayer Meeting (Wednesday) 7 p.m.

Mt. Hope Evangelical
Lutheran - Marquette Synod
905 North I-75 Business Loop
Sunday Worship 11:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Adult Bible School 10 a.m.

St. Francis' Episcopal
Vicar: The Rev. Derek J. Roy, Jr.
M-72 West-Office 348-5850
Rectory 348-2682
Sunday Holy Eucharist 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.
Morning Prayer Service 10:30 a.m.
(The second Sunday of each month)
Healing Service 5th Sunday of the month
Adult & Children's Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Sunday nursery care provided 10:30 a.m.
Adult Choir Practice (Monday) 7 p.m.

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Services held at the Roscommon Community Center, Monday nights at 7 p.m., 510 South St., Roscommon, MI.

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Sunday Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

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Meadowbrook Estate opens dinner/music show

On Thursday, October 29, the first in a series of four dinner/musical shows will be presented when Meadowbrook Estate, Oakland University's premier entertainment group, takes to the stage of the Grayling Holiday Inn's Evergreen Room for an 8 p.m. opener.

The group is known for its lively presentations of popular award-winning music. The "Estate" has entertained thousands of people throughout Mexico, Europe and Canada as well as the United States. The Command Performance Series,

part of the 1992-1993 cultural events offering of the Crawford AuSable Community Education Program is produced with the support of many area business and corporations to provide area residents enjoyable entertainment at affordable prices.

The \$16.50 ticket price includes a Steamship Round of Beef or Chicken A L'Orange with potato, vegetable soup, salad bar, rolls and butter, hot apple pie and beverage (non-alcoholic). Doors will open at 6 p.m. A cash bar will be available. Dinner

will be served beginning at 6:45 p.m. All seats for this performance will be reserved.

For tickets and information, call 348-7641 between 5 and 9 p.m. Mondays through Thursdays.

The Community Education Concert series is in its third season of providing area residents with quality cultural experiences. The series is supported by individual area patrons as well as the following area businesses: Chemical Bank North, Pick & Sons, Inc., Grayling Holiday Inn, Grayling

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NEWSPAPER**

Senior Citizen News

Menus are subject to change and are listed as **Lunch/Dinner**:
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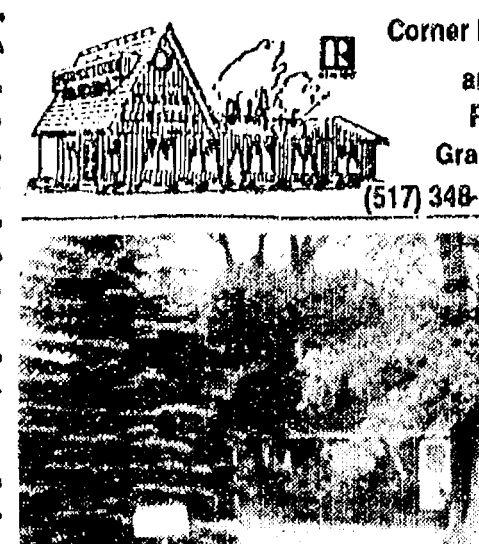
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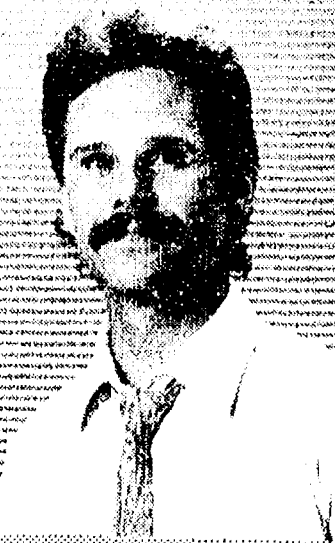
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MISC. 7

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GARAGE SALES 10

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New hospital rehabilitation center opens

The community is invited to attend an Open House at Mercy Hospital's new Rehabilitation Center on Tuesday, October 20, from 2 to 6 p.m. The new center is headquarters for all rehab services at Mercy Hospital including Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy and Sports Medicine.

Tours will be given by the center's physical therapists, occupational therapist, athletic trainer, occupational and physical therapy assistants. The staff encourages everyone to attend and see the new equipment and treatment areas available.

"Our clients have really liked the new area because it offers a larger, more welcoming space," said Jim Nygard, Rehab Services Manager. "With our new building comes a new look, new ideas and our ability to offer expanded services to the community."

Located behind Mercy Manor, the Rehab Center was, in earlier days, the convent where the Sisters of Mercy lived. At one time a number of Sisters shared various responsibilities at the

hospital and made their home in the convent. Since that time it has housed the Child Care Center and now the newly expanded Rehab Center.

Whether you've been injured in an accident or have undergone surgery, the need for rehabilitation is essential to the healing process, Nygard said.

"People do get injured, are ill, or have surgery and it's at that time they need to be treated to obtain an optimal level of functioning. After the patient is evaluated we work with their physician to provide a specific treatment plan with the goal of never having to see them again," he explained. "As we are caring for the individual we help train them to take good care of themselves as well."

Physical therapists are trained in neuromuscular and skeletal orthopedic problems and work directly with patients and their physicians to provide specific treatment services. Occupational therapists focus more on daily living activities which can include such functions as dressing,

feeding, grooming, or on-the-job activities like typing. Much of the occupational therapy at the center is upper extremity orthopedic rehabilitation.

"Our rehab team works together so the client can regain movement, function and be strong while being able to regain the activities of their daily life," Nygard said. "A lot of physical therapy is knowledge about what's needed for the person so they can get back to functioning ability."

Persons injured during an athletic or sports activity are often referred to the Rehab Center's athletic trainer who works with the individual so they can return to that specific sports activity.

"In sports there are different forces on the joints of the body and the muscular requirements to perform the

activity are different," Nygard said. "Whether you're a high school athlete or a weekend athlete, our program can help the client regain the high level of intensity required in their particular sport."

Speech therapy services are also offered for individuals who have loss of speech or other problems such as swallowing, hearing or communication.

"When you think of speech, you think of talking," commented Nygard. "But it's also understanding and being able to communicate your thoughts in different ways. So many of our clients are working on alternative methods of communication."

For more information about the Open House or services offered at the Rehab Center, contact 348-0368.

Doodles From The Tall Timber

Wendell L. Hoover Park Interpreter, Hartwick Pines State Park

Old Time Days was a success, with just over 1,400 students from the surrounding area including schools in Lewiston, Manton, Harbor Springs, Cadillac, Alcona, and Harrison visiting the park. With the exception of Sunday, the weather and the fall colors were excellent.

The little oaks across from the office survived the spring frost and presently are a beautiful magenta and they retain those leaves until quite late in the spring to protect themselves from frost. Their leaves, still attached to twigs, will in some cases be used by squirrels to build nests and line dens in hollow trees.

We are still in the process of determining the content of the exhibits for the new Visitor Center, with one more meeting to finalize the details. Just when the exhibits will go from paper to actuality I cannot say, but progress is being made. Several really neat exhibit display ideas have been included which will involve children and adults.

As a reminder, the Friends of the Hartwick Pines will hold their last meeting on Thursday, October 15, in the Conference Room of the new

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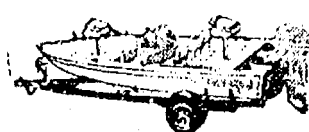
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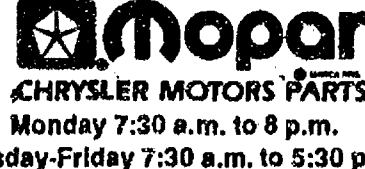
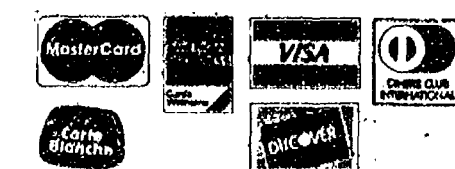


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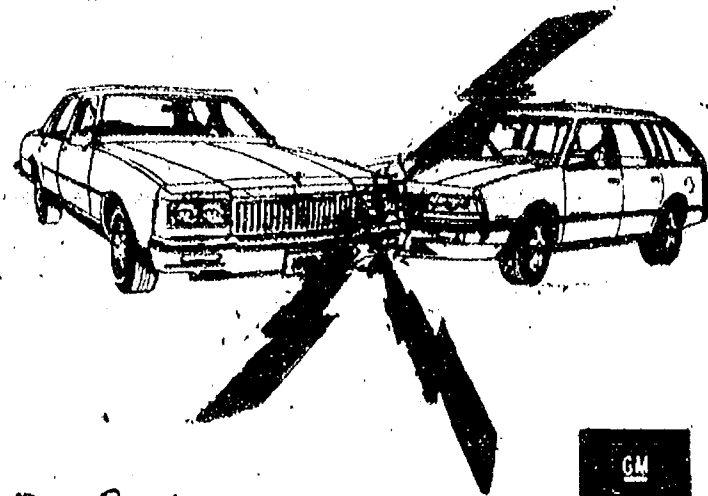
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HANSON HILLS SKI SEASON MEMBERSHIPS NOW AVAILABLE

The Grayling Recreation Authority is now selling Hanson Hills Ski Season Memberships for the 1992-93 season. Through October 31st the pre-season rates are as follows: Individual Downhill, \$75; Family Downhill, \$205; Individual Cross Country, \$40, and Family Cross Country, \$70.

Membership registration forms are available at Hanson Hills, Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

ADULT VOLLEYBALL STARTING

The Grayling Recreation Authority is now forming adult fall volleyball leagues. Women's 6-on-6 will begin on Monday, October 19, and co-ed 4-on-4 will begin Wednesday, October 21. Registration deadline is 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, October 14th. For more information call 348-9266.

2ND ANNUAL HALLOWEEN SPOOKFEST BEING PLANNED

Grayling Recreation Authority is planning its 2nd Annual Halloween Spookfest at the Hanson Hills Recreation Area. The Spookfest will run from 5 to 8 p.m. on Saturday, October 31st, with a Middle School Costume Dance to follow from 8 to 10:30 p.m.

The Spookfest is FREE and the dance will cost \$2 per student. Last year over 400 kids and 200 adults attended the Spookfest. Volunteers are still needed. For more information or to donate, please contact Grayling Recreation Authority at 348-9266.

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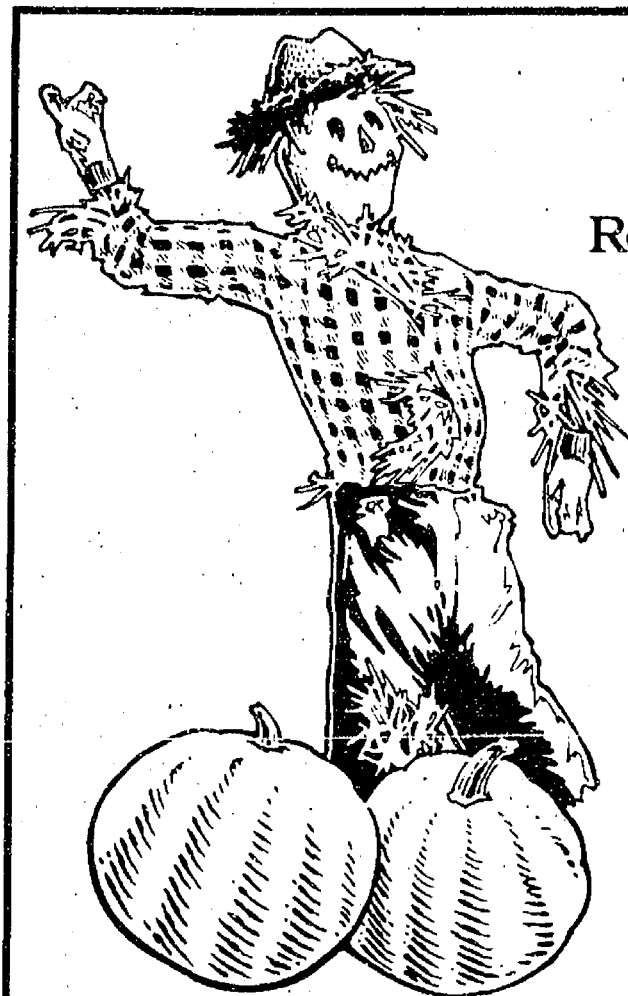
FRIDAY 6:30 p.m.

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CHANGING OF THE GUARD--Jack Alef, head of the Minuteman Foundation, leads a ceremony in front of the National Guard color guard, an area television camera, and an audience last Wednesday at the county museum. A Revolutionary War soldier carved by Bill Burke and painted by Harold Lee was replaced by a new carving, made by Dan Gooden and painted by Laura Gooden. Weyerhaeuser, the Rotary Club, and the Jack Alef family donated to have the new soldier made. Weather and age had taken a toll on the old soldier, who first stood guard 11 years ago at Grayling State Bank. The soldier stands guard at the county museum and is dedicated to the Army National Guard.

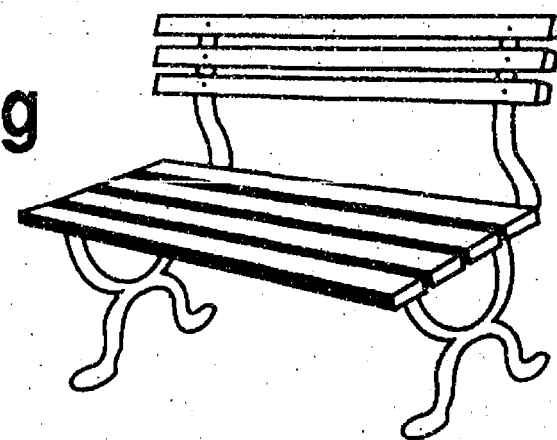


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